Counties: House Bills Nos. 915, 916, 917, and 918.

Agriculture: Senate Bill No. 295. State Affairs: House Concurrent Resolutions Nos. 70, 75, 76, and 77.

Revenue and Taxation: House Bill No. 379.

Judiciary: Senate Bills Nos. 55 and 274.

Appropriations: Senate Bills Nos. 247 and 289.

Privileges, Suffrage, and Elections: Senate Bill No. 395.

The Committee on Judiciary filed an adverse report on Senate Bill No. 32.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON ENGROSSED BILLS

Committee Room, Austin, Texas, May 2, 1933.

Hon. Coke Stevenson, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. J. R. No. 36, Proposing amendments to Section 4, of Article III; Sections 2, 4, 5, 21, 22, and 23, of Article IV; Sections 9, 15, 20, 21, and amendment to the committee amend-23, of Article V; Section 14, of Article VIII; Section 16, of Article VIII; and Section 44, of Article XVI; fixing the terms of office of the constitutional officers at four (4) years, and providing for salary and the manner of election.

Has carefully compared same, and finds it correctly engrossed.

PARKHOUSE, Acting Chairman.

FIFTY-NINTH DAY

(Continued)

(Thursday, May 4, 1933)

The House reconvened at 9:30 o'clock a. m., and was called to order by Speaker Stevenson.

SENATE BILL NO. 209 ON PAS-SAGE TO THIRD READING

The Speaker laid before the House, as pending business, on its passage to third reading,

S. B. No. 209, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Article 3883, of the Revised Civil Statutes of 1925, as amended by the Acts of the Fortysecond Legislature, Chapter 340; fixing the maximum annual fees of office authorized to be retained by certain district, county, and precinct

officers named herein; repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency";

The bill having heretofore been read second time, with committee amendment by Mr. Savage, pending.

Mr. Jefferson offered the following amendment to the committee amendment:

Amend committee substitute to Senate Bill No. 209, by striking out Section 11.

JEFFERSON, HUGHES, McDOUGALD, PURYEAR.

The amendment was lost.

Mr. Lindsey offered the following amendment to the committee amendment:

Amend committee amendment No. 15 to Senate Bill No. 209, page 30, line 39, by striking out the words "by a four-fifths (2) record vote each time," and insert the words "by a majority record vote each time."

The amendment was lost.

Mr. Alsup offered the following ment:

Amend committee amendment No. 15 to Senate Bill No. 209, page 24, line 1, by inserting after the word "census" the following: "also in counties having less than twenty-five thousand and one (25,001) inhabitants, according to the last or any subsequent Federal Census, and whose population has greatly increased during the oil developments, and has a tax valuation exceeding fifty million dollars (\$50,000,000), according to the last approved tax roll."

Mr. Latham offered the following substitute for the amendment by Mr. Alsup:

Substitute for amendment to committee amendment No. 15 to Senate Bill No. 209, by inserting in line 34, page 25, after the word "census," the following: "and in all counties having more than ten thousand (10,000) inhabitants and less than fifty thousand (50,000) inhabitants, according to the last preceding Federal Census, which have had a great increase in population due to oil development, and have a tax valuation in excess of fifty million dollars (\$50,000,000), according to the last tax roll."

> LATHAM, HOLLOWAY. TURLINGTON.

The substitute amendment was adopted.

The amendment as substituted was then adopted.

Mr. Latham offered the following amendment to the committee amendment:

Amend committee amendment No. 15 to Senate Bill No. 209, by inserting, in line 30, page 26, after the word "census," the following: "and in all counties having more than fifty thousand (50,000) inhabitants, and less than sixty thousand (60,000) inhabitants, according to the last preceding Federal Census, which have had a great increase in population, due to oil development, and have a tax valuation in excess of twenty million dollars (\$20,000,000), according to the last tax roll."

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Clayton offered the following amendment to the committee amendment:

Amend committee amendment No. 15 to Senate Bill No. 209, by adding, at the end of Section 5, the following: "Provided, however, the maximum herein fixed for district attorneys applies only to those district attorneys receiving their compensation under the provisions of Article 1025, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1925, and shall not apply to district attorneys in judicial districts composed of two or more counties, whose compensation is otherwise provided."

CLAYTON, HANKAMER.

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Sullivant offered the following amendment to the committee amendment:

Amend committee amendment No. 15 to Senate Bill No. 209, page 27, Section 6, by striking out the words "same to be approved by the commissioners court," in line 37.

SULLIVANT, HARRIS, COOMBES.

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Nicholson offered the following amendment to the committee amendment:

Amend committee amendment No. 15 to Senate Bill No. 209, page 29, line 16, by striking out the words

"the law," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "this Act."

> NICHOLSON, McKEE, McDOUGALD.

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Tarwater offered the following amendment to the committee amendment:

Amend committee amendment No. 15 to Senate Bill No. 209, page 23, Section 1, by adding, at the end of Section 1, line 37, the following: "Provided, the maximum herein fixed for district attorneys shall apply only to those district attorneys receiving their compensation under the provisions of Article 1025, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1925, and shall not apply to district attorneys in judicial districts composed of two or more counties, whose compensation is otherwise provided."

TARWATER, PURYEAR.

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Mathis offered the following amendment to the committee amendment:

Amend committee amendment No. 15 by striking out lines 22 to 29, page 27, both inclusive, and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"In counties containing more than three hundred and fifty thousand (350,000) inhabitants, according to the last preceding or any subsequent Federal Census, the maximum compensation shall be:

"County judge: Eight thousand five hundred dollars (\$8,500).

"Sheriff: Eight thousand five hundred dollars (\$8,500).

"County clerk: Eight thousand five hundred dollars (\$8,500).

"Criminal district attorney: Eight thousand five hundred dollars (\$8,500).

"District clerk: Eight thousand five hundred dollars (\$8,500).

"Tax collector: Eight thousand five hundred dollars (\$8,500).

"Tax assessor: Eight thousand five hundred dollars (\$8,500).

"Provided, that the above amounts shall be in the full amounts such officers shall be entitled to retain, regardless of any other provisions of this Act."

MATHIS, MOORE, MORSE.

The amendment was lost.

Mr. Moore offered the following criminal district attorneys shall reamendment to the committee amend-

Amend committee amendment No. 15 to Senate Bill No. 209, on page 27, between lines 29 and 30, by inserting therein a paragraph to be known as "Section 5-a," and reading as follows:

"Section 5-a. In any county having a population in excess of 350,000, according to the last preceding or any subsequent Federal Census, the criminal district attorney shall receive all fees, commissions, and perquisites eighteen hundred dollars per annum earned by such office, provided that | the amount of said fees, commissions, and perquisites, to be so received and dred dollars each per annum. For the retained by him, shall not exceed the department of civil business of such sum of six thousand five hundred dol- counties, said criminal district attorlars per year. All fees, commissions, ney may employ two abstractors, at and perquisites, so earned and re-|salaries not to exceed twenty-four ceived by said office in excess of said hundred dollars each per annum; one amount during each and every fiscal clerk at a salary not to exceed two year, shall be paid into the county thousand one hundred dollars each; treasury of said county, after deduct- two investigators at salaries not to ing the amount necessary to cover the exceed two thousand one hundred dolcosts of premium on whatever surety lars each. bond may be required by law; the criminal investigators at salaries not expense and cost of securing the attendance and testimony of witnesses dollars each. He may employ two in the trial and investigation of crim- office boys at salaries of not to exinal cases; the necessary expense for ceed fifty dollars per month each, and office supplies and equipment; the ex- he may employ one information clerk pense of telegrams and telephones; at a salary of not to exceed seventythe necessary expense of investigators | five dollars per month. The salaries or assistants of the criminal district of said assistants, court reporters, inattorney, or of the criminal district attorney himself, incurred as a part of the execution of the official business of the office, and such other expenses as may be, in the opinion of said criminal district attorney, necesexcess fees as shall be used and exadditional deputies, stenographers, investigators, or other employes, as last preceding or any subsequent Federal Census, may appoint twelve assistant criminal district attorneys, to be paid salaries in his discretion, as Three of said assistant follows: criminal district attorneys shall each

ceive salaries of not to exceed three thousand six hundred dollars each: three of said assistant criminal district attorneys shall receive a salary of not to exceed two thousand four hundred dollars each. He may employ three court reporters for taking testimony at examining trials and before the grand jury at salaries not to exceed two thousand four hundred doleach, and two of whom shall receive salaries of not to exceed fifteen hun-He may employ three to exceed two thousand four hundred vestigators, abstractors, clerks, and office assistants shall be paid monthly by said county with warrants drawn upon the general funds thereof.

"Should such criminal district attorney be of the opinion that the sary for the operating of said office; number of deputies, assistants, steand also except such portion of such nographers, investigators, abstractors, clerks, or other employes, above propended in the payment of salaries to vided for, are inadequate for the proper investigation of crime and the efficient performance of the duties of herein provided. Each such criminal said office, he may appoint such addidistrict attorney, in counties of over tional assistants, stenographers, in-350,000 population, according to the vestigators, abstractors, clerks, or other employes as he may deem necessary, not to exceed ten in number, and the salaries of such additional assistants, stenographers, investigators, abstractors, clerks, or other employes shall be fixed by said crimreceive a salary of not to exceed four | inal district attorney at an amount thousand eight hundred dollars per in no event to exceed the maximum annum; three of said assistant crim- for each of such positions fixed in the inal district attorneys shall receive preceding paragraph for those emsalaries of not to exceed four thou- ployes to be paid out of the general sand four hundred dollars per an- funds of said office. The salaries of num each; three of said assistant such additional assistants, investi-

gators, clerks, stenographers, or other employes shall be paid monthly by such criminal district attorney, and his office, out of the excess fees collected by such criminal district attorney or his office which would otherwise go to said county. In no event shall the county be liable for the salaries of such additional assistants or other employes. Any such assistant, deputy, stenographer, investigator, court reporter, abstractor, or other employe working in the office or under the direction of said criminal district attorney, whether paid out of fees of office or out of the general funds of the county, shall be subject to removal at the will of said crimina! district attorney. Said criminal district attorney shall include in his annual report a detailed, sworn, itemized statement of all expenditures for the premium on his bond; the expense and cost of securing the attendance and testimony of witnesses in criminal cases and investigations; the expense of office supplies and equipment; the expense of telegrams and telephones, and any other expenses of himself, his assistants, or investigators, incurred in conducting the business of his office, as well as of the salaries of additional assistants or employes as provided for herein."

The amendment was lost.

Mr. Graves offered the following amendment to the committee amendment:

Amend Senate Bill No. 209 by adding at the end of the repealing clause of committee amendment No. 15, Section 20, the following: "Whenever such laws are in conflict herewith."

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Clayton offered the following amendment to the committee amendment:

Amend committee amendment No. 15 to Senate Bill No. 209 by striking out Sections 6 and 7.

CLAYTON, HANKAMER, DUVALL.

The amendment was lost.

Mr. Burns offered the following amendment to the committee amendment:

Amend committee amendment No. 15, Section 1, line 6, after the words "district attorney" by adding the words "county attorney."

The amendment was adopted.

Question recurring on the committee amendment as amended, it was adopted by the following vote:

Yeas-92

Laird. Adamson. Aikin. Latham. Alexander. Leonard. Alsup. Lindsey. Anderson Lotief. of Bexar. Mackay. Baker. Magee. McClain. Bedford. Calvert. McDougald. Camp. Mitcham. Canon. Moffett. Morrison. Cathey. Chastain. Munson. Clayton. Nicholson. Colson. Parkhouse. Coombes. Pavlica. Crossley. Pope. Daniel, Puryear. Dean. Ramsey. Ratliff. Devall. Ray. Dunagan. Reed of Bowie. Fain. Reed of Dallas. Few Fisher. Rogers Fuchs. of Ochiltree. Glass. Rollins. Golson. Ross. Russell. Good. Goodman. Savage. Greathouse. Scott. Haag. Shults. Hankamer. Smith. Stanfield. Harris. Steward. Head. Hester. Stinson. Hodges. Stovall. Sullivant. Holekamp. Tarwater. Holland. Tennyson. Holloway. Hoskins. Thomas. Tillery. Jackson. Turlington. James. Van Zandt. Johnson of Anderson. Vaughan. Jones of Atascosa. Wagstaff.

Nays—21

Walker.

Winningham.

Barrett. Merritt. Metcalie. Beck. Moore. Bourne. Morse. Burns. Duvall. Palmer. Patterson. Hartzog. Huddleston. Renfro. Hughes. Roberts. Scarborough. Jefferson. Kyle of Hays. Shannon. i Mathis.

Jones of Runnels.

Jones of Shelby.

Kayton.

Absent

Hill of Brazoria. Anderson Hill of Webb. of Johnson. Barron. Hunt. Bradley. Hyder. Kyle of Palo Pinto. Butler. Caven. Lemens. Long. McCullough. Celaya. Cowley. McGregor. Davidson. McKee. Dunlap. Reader. Dwyer. Engelhard. Riddle. Rogers of Hunt. Ford. Townsend. Graves. Griffith. Weinert. Harman. Wood. Harrison. Young.

Absent-Excused

Johnson of Dimmit.

Hicks.

Wells.

Mr. Savage moved to reconsider the vote by which the committee amendment was adopted, and to table the motion to reconsider.

The motion to table prevailed.

(Pending consideration of the bill, Mr. Jefferson occupied the Chair temporarily.)

(Speaker in the Chair.)

By unanimous consent of the House, the caption of the bill was ordered amended to conform to all changes made in the body of the bill.

Question recurring on the passage of the bill to third reading, yeas and nays were demanded.

Senate Bill No. 209 was then passed to third reading by the following vote:

Yeas-120

Adamson. Clayton. Aikin. Colson. Alexander. Coombes. Alsup. Cowley. Anderson Daniel of Bexar. Davidson. Baker. Dean. Barron. Devall. Bedford. Dunagan. Bourne. Duvall. Bradley. Engelhard. Butler. Fain. Calvert. Few. Camp. Fisher. Canon. Ford. Cathey. Fuchs. Caven. Glass. Chastain. Golson.

Good. Morrison. Munson. Goodman. Graves. Nicholson. Greathouse. Palmer. Griffith. Parkhouse. Haag. Patterson. Pavlica. Hankamer. Harman. Pope. Puryear. Harris. Head. Ramsey. Hester. Ratliff. Ray. Hill of Brazoria. Reed of Bowie. Hodges. Reed of Dallas. Holekamp. Renfro. Holland. Rogers of Hunt. Holloway. Rollins. Hoskins. Huddleston. Ross. Hunt. Russell. Hyder. Savage. Scarborough. Jackson. Johnson Scott. of Anderson. Shannon. Jones of Atascosa. Shults. Jones of Runnels. Smith. Jones of Shelby. Stanfield. Steward. Kayton. Kyle of Palo Pinto. Stinson. Laird. Stovall. Sullivant. Latham. Lemens. Tarwater. Tennyson. Leonard. Lindsey. Thomas. Lotief. Tillery. Magee. Townsend. Turlington. McClain. McCullough. Van Zandt. Vaughan. McDougald. McGregor. Wagstaff. Walker. Merritt. Metcalfe. Wells. Mitcham. Winningham. Young. Moore.

Nays—13

Barrett. Kyle of Hays.
Beck. McKee.
Burns. Moffett.
Crossley. Morse.
Hartzog. Riddle.
Hughes. Roberts.
Jefferson.

Absent

Long. Anderson of Johnson. Mackay. Celaya. Mathis. Reader. Dunlap. Dwyer. Rogers Harrison. of Ochiltree. Hicks. Weinert. Hill of Webb. Wood. James.

Absent-Excused

Johnson of Dimmit.

SENATE BILL NO. 209 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Anderson of Bexar moved that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days, be suspended, and that Senate Bill No. 209 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas-119

Holloway. Adamson. Aikin. Hoskins. Huddleston. Alexander. Hyder. Alsup. Anderson Jackson. Jones of Atascosa. of Bexar. Jones of Runnels. Anderson Jones of Shelby. of Johnson. Baker. Kayton. Kyle of Palo Pinto. Barrett. Barron. Laird. Latham. Bedford. Lemens. Bourne. Bradley. Leonard. Lindsey. Butler. Lotief. Calvert. Magee. Camp. McClain. Canon. McCullough. Cathey. McDougald. Caven. Chastain. McGregor. Clayton. Merritt. Colson. Mitcham. Coombes. Moffett. Moore. Cowley. Morrison. Crossley. Morse. Daniel. Davidson. Munson. Dean. Nicholson. Devall. Palmer. Parkhouse. Dunagan. Patterson. Duvall. Engelhard. Pavlica. Fain. Pope. Few. Puryear. Fisher. Ramsey. Ratliff. Ford. Ray. Glass. Reed of Bowie. Golson. Reed of Dallas. Good. Renfro. Goodman. Roberts. Graves. Rogers of Hunt. Greathouse. Rogers Griffith. of Ochiltree. Hankamer. Rollins. Harman. Ross. Harris. Scarborough. Hartzog. Scott. Head.

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Shults.

Smith.

Hester.

Hodges.

Holland.

Holekamp.

Hill of Brazoria.

Townsend. Stinson. Turlington. Stovall. Sullivant. Van Zandt. Vaughan. Tarwater. Walker. Tennyson. Wells. Thomas. Winningham. Tillery.

Nays-5

Beck. Kyle of Hays. Burns. Metcalfe. Hughes.

Absent

Long. Celaya. Mackay. Dunlap. Dwyer. Mathis. McKee. Fuchs. Reader. Haag. Harrison. Riddle. Russell. Hicks. Hill of Webb. Savage. Wagstaff. Hunt. Weinert. James. Wood. Jefferson. Young. Johnson of Anderson.

Absent—Excused

Johnson of Dimmit.

The Speaker then laid Senate Bill No. 209 before the House on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time.

Mr. Walker offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend Senate Bill No. 209 by striking out, in lines 10 and 11, page 29, the words: "and to employ or discharge each for cause."

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Glass offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend Senate Bill No. 209, page 23, Section 2, line 40, by striking out the words and figures: "Forty thousand and one (40,001)," and substituting in lieu thereof the following: "forty-five thousand and one (45,-

Mr. Pope moved the previous question on the pending amendment and the bill, and the main question was ordered.

Question first recurring on the amendment by Mr. Glass, it was lost.

Senate Bill No. 209 was then passed by the following vote:

Yeas-116

Alexander. Adamson. Alsup. Aikin.

Jones of Shelby. Anderson of Bexar. Kayton. Kyle of Palo Pinto. Anderson of Johnson. Laird. Baker. Latham. Barron. Lemens. Bedford. Leonard. Bourne. Lindsey. Bradley. Lotief. Butler. Magee. Calvert. McClain. McCullough. Camp. McKee. Canon. Cathey. Merritt. Mitcham. Caven. Chastain. Moore. Clayton. Morrison. Colson. Munson. Palmer. Coombes. Cowley. Parkhouse. Daniel. Patterson. Davidson. Pope. Dean. Puryear. Devall. Ramsey. Ratliff. Dunagan. Ray. Reed of Bowie. Duvall. Engelhard. Reed of Dallas. Fain. Renfro. Few. Rogers of Hunt. Fisher. Rollins. Ford. Glass. Ross. Golson. Russell. Good. Savage. Goodman. Scarborough. Graves. Scott. Greathouse. Shannon. Griffith. Shults. Hankamer. Smith. Harman. Stanfield. Steward. Harris. Hartzog. Stinson. Stovall. Head. Sullivant. Hester. Hill of Brazoria. Tarwater. Hodges. Tennyson. Thomas. Holekamp. Tillery. Holland. Townsend. Holloway. Turlington. Hoskins. Huddleston. Van Zandt. Hunt. Vaughan. Wagstaff. Hyder. Jackson. Walker. Johnson Wells. of Anderson. Winningham. Jones of Atascosa. Wood.

Nays-11

Barrett. Kyle of Hays.
Beck. Metcalfe.
Burns. Moffett.
Crossley. Morse.
Hughes. Roberts.
Jefferson.

Jones of Runnels.

Absent

Celaya. Mathis. Dunlap. McDougald. Dwyer. McGregor. Fuchs. Nicholson. Haag. Pavlica. Harrison. Reader. Hicks. Riddle. Hill of Webb. Rogers James. of Ochiltree. Long. Weinert. Mackay. Young.

Absent—Excused

Johnson of Dimmit.

Mr. Savage moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed, and to table the motion to reconsider.

The motion to table prevailed.

BILLS SIGNED BY THE SPEAKER

The Speaker signed, in the presence of the House, after giving due notice thereof, and their captions had been read severally, the following enrolled bills:

- S. B. No. 195, "An Act to apportion the State of Texas into Congressional Districts, naming the counties composing the same, and providing for the election of a Member of the Congress of the United States from each district, and repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith; and declaring an emergency."
- S. B. No. 312, "An Act to add to the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas a new Article, to be known as Article 6479-a, relating to the frequency of freight train service required on railroads in this State, and the furnishing of freight cars for loading; and repealing all conflicting laws and parts thereof; and declaring an emergency."
- S. B. No. 300, "An Act to amend Sections 7 and 8, of Chapter 13, Acts of the Third Called Session of the Forty-second Legislature, making an appropriation of moneys deposited to the credit of the County and Road District Highway Fund up to September 1, 1935, for application on the payment of principal, interest, and sinking fund on eligible obligations of the county and road districts of the State maturing from September 1, 1933, to September 1, 1935, making appropriation to defray the expenses incident to the administration of said Act; providing for the payment of all

sinking funds on eligible issues into the State Treasury; providing for the investment of such funds and purchase of bonds by the Board of County and Road District Indebtedness; and declaring an emergency."

- S. B. No. 331, "An Act to amend Article 6479, of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, as amended by Chapter 198, of the Acts of the First Called Session of the Thirty-ninth Legislature, relating to passenger service on railroads, by providing for a relaxation by the Railroad Commission of Texas, under prescribed conditions, of the requirement of one train each day, Sundays excepted, and declaring an emergency."
- S. B. No. 483, "An Act providing for the creation of water supply districts pursuant to Section 59, Article XVI, of the Constitution, etc.; and declaring an emergency."
- H. B. No. 28, "An Act to amend Article 4604 of the Revised Civil Statutes of 1925, as amended by the Acts of 1929, Forty-first Legislature, Chapter 114, so as to provide that persons who desire to marry shall procure from the county clerk a license directed to all persons authorized by law to celebrate the rites of matrimony, and that said license shall be sufficient to celebrate such marriage, etc.; and declaring an emergency."
- H. B. No. 827, "An Act designating fur-bearing animals, declaring them the property of the State; declaring a five-year closed season on wild fox in certain counties; providing a penalty for violation of this Act; and declaring an emergency."
- H. B. No. 19, "An Act to amend Article 1572, Chapter 3, Title 18, Penal Code of the State of Texas, Revision of 1925; and declaring an emergency." (Relating to 54-hour week for female employes.)

HOUSE BILL NO. 11 WITH SEN-ATE AMENDMENTS

Mr. Van Zandt called up from the Speaker's table, with Senate amendments, for consideration of the amendments,

H. B. No. 11, A bill to be entitled Chastain "An Act authorizing the payment to Colson. the head of any department of the Cowley.

State Government of occupation, gross receipts, franchise, license, or other privilege taxes or fees under protest upon the supposed ground of invalidity of the tax or lack of power to collect the same, etc., and declaring an emergency."

The Speaker laid the bill before the House, with the Senate amendments.

Mr. Van Zandt moved that the House do not concur in the Senate amendments, and that a conference committee be requested to adjust the differences between the two Houses on the bill.

The motion prevailed.

In accordance with the above action, the Speaker announced the appointment of the following conference committee: Messrs. Van Zandt, Anderson of Johnson, Harris, Roberts, and Hester.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 37 ON SECOND READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading,

H. J. R. No. 37, Proposing an amendment to Section 26, Article I, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, so as to authorize municipalities to make flat-rate contracts with public utilities for any number of years, not exceeding twenty (20); providing for its submission to the voters of the State of Texas, as required by law, and making an appropriation therefor.

The resolution was read second time, and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas-102

Aikin. Daniel. Anderson Davidson. of Johnson. Dean. Barrett. Devall. Barron. Dunagan. Beck. Engelhard. Bedford. Fain. Bourne. Few. Bradley. Fisher. Burns. Fuchs. Butler. Glass. Golson. Calvert. Good. Camp. Canon. Goodman. Graves. Cathey. Greathouse. Caven. Chastain. Griffith. Haag. Harman.

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Kyle of Hays.	Shults.	Anderson
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Mackay.	Tennyson.	Burns.
McCullough.	Thomas.	Butler.
McDougald.	Townsend.	Calvert.
McGregor.	Turlington.	Camp.
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Moffett.	Walker.	Caven.
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Hill of Webb.	Scarborough.	Holland.

Absent-Excused

Scott.

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Van Zandt.

Johnson of Dimmit.

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Jefferson.

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BILL ON FIRST READING

tovall moved to introduce, at e, and have placed on first the following bill:

notion prevailed by the folote:

Yeas-121 Jefferson. Johnson of Anderson. er. Jones of Runnels. Jones of Shelby. Kyle of Hays. Kyle of Palo Pinto. ar. nson. Laird. Latham. Lemens. Lindsey. Lotief. Mackay. Magee. McClain. McCullough. McGregor. McKee. Merritt. Metcalfe. Mitcham. Moffett. Moore. Morrison. Morse. Munson. Nicholson. Palmer. Parkhouse. Patterson. Pavlica. Puryear. Ramsey. Ratliff.

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Hughes. Tarwater. Hunt. Tennyson. Hyder. Thomas. Jackson. Tillery.

Townsend. Turlington. Vaughan. Wagstaff.

Wells. Winningham.

Wood. Young.

Walker.

Absent

Jones of Atascosa. Alsup. Barrett. Kayton. Bedford. Leonard. Celaya. Long. Davidson. Mathis. McDougald. Dunlap. Duvall. Pope. Dwyer. Reader.

Engelhard. Golson. Haag. Harrison. Hicks.

James.

Rogers of Hunt. Scott.

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Absent—Excused

Johnson of Dimmit.

The Speaker then laid the bill before the House; it was read first time, and referred to the appropriate committee, as follows:

By Mr. Stovall and Mr. Few:

H. B. No. 924, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Article 7256, of the 1925 Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, so as to provide that in all counties containing a city other than the county seat, in excess of 7,000 inhabitants, according to the 1930 decennial census, the tax collector, with the consent and approval of the commissioners court of said county, may appoint a deputy tax collector in such town or city, who shall have the right to issue valid receipts for all taxes collected by him, and to collect a fee of twenty-five cents from each person who pays his taxes to said deputy, and to whom said deputy issues a receipt; providing that no person shall be charged over twenty-five cents for paying his taxes to said deputy; providing that said deputy shall enter into such bond payable to the county judge of the county, in such amount as the tax collector and commissioners court may require; and further providing, that said tax collector shall likewise remain liable on his bonds for all such taxes collected; and declaring an emergency."

and Taxation.

BILLS LAID ON THE TABLE SUB-JECT TO CALL

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Bill No. 913 was laid on the table subject to call.

On motion of Mr. Jefferson, House Bill No. 898 was laid on the table subject to call.

SENATE BILL NO. 203 ON SECOND READING

On motion of Mr. Latham, the regular order of business was suspended, to take up, and have placed on its second reading and passage to third reading,

S. B. No. 203, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Chapter 40, Acts of Second Called Session of the Fortysecond Legislature, and Chapter 271, Acts of the Regular Session of the Forty-second Legislature, as amended by said Chapter 40, Acts of Second Called Session of the Forty-second Legislature, and declaring an emergency."

The Speaker laid the bill before the House, and it was read second time.

Question—Shall the bill be passed to third reading?

NOTICES GIVEN

Notices were given that motions would be made to take up, for consideration on the next legislative day, the following bills and resolutions, which bills and resolutions had heretofore been laid on the table subject to call;

Senate Bills Nos. 107, 160, and 165; House Bills Nos. 12, 47, 55, 83, 95, 100, 144, 183, 234, 249, 250, 251, 299, 307, 318, 337, 384, 391, 447, 476, 508, 528, 536, 555, 574, 649, 655, 717, 832, 888, 898, and 913; Senate Joint Resolution No. 11; House Joint Resolution No. 25.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE RE-PORT ON HOUSE BILL NO. 807

Mrs. Hughes submitted the following conference committee report on House Bill No. 807:

> Committee Room, Austin, Texas, April 27, 1933.

Referred to Committee on Revenue | Hon. Edgar E. Witt, President of the Senate, and Hon. Coke Stevenson, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sirs: We, your conferees, hereto-On motion of Mr. Stovall, by unan- | fore appointed to adjust the differ-

H. B. No. 807, A bill to be entitled "An Act to provide for conventions to pass on amendments to the Constitution of the United States, which may be now or may be hereafter proposed by the Congress of the United States for ratification by conventions in the several States, etc.",

Having considered the differences between the two Houses, and having reached an agreement, beg leave to report that the hereto attached complete bill is the bill which we recommend to be passed by both Houses.

The bill is substantially the same as the original House bill, with Senate amendments, rewritten by us so as to clarify and make the bill a general bill, applicable to future conventions which may be held to ratify amendments proposed by Congress.

We recommend the adoption of this report and the final passage by both Houses of the attached bill:

"H. B. No. 807,

A BILL

To Be Entitled

An Act to provide for conventions to pass on amendments to the Constitution of the United States which may be now or may be hereafter proposed by the Congress of the United States for ratification by conventions in the several States; setting the time of said elections; prescribing the method of nominating delegates and alternates; prescribing the manner and method in which delegates and alternates shall be elected to attend such convention; providing the form of the ballot to be used at such election; prescribing certain duties of the public officials of this State with reference to the conduct of such election; and declaring an emergency."

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. Whenever the Congress of the United States shall submit to the respective States a proposed amendment to the Constitution of the United States, and shall propose that it be ratified by conventions in the

the United States, at which election thirty-one (31) delegates and thirtyone (31) alternates, each, such total number of delegates and such total number of alternates to be composed of one (1) delegate and one (1) alternate from each of the several thirtyone Senatorial Districts of the State, shall be elected, provided that the same is submitted to this State within the time necessary to comply with the provisions hereof, otherwise at the succeeding general election.

Sec. 2. On the sixtieth (60th) day preceding the day of the election, those persons, groups, and organizations in favor of the ratification of the amendment, and those persons, groups, and organizations against the ratification of the amendment shall hold separate conventions in the City of Austin. Any qualified voter of this State shall be entitled to participate and vote in either of said conventions, but not in both. days prior to the meeting of such conventions, it shall be the duty of the Governor of this State to designate a qualified voter of this State, known by him personally, to be in favor of the ratification of such amendment, and it shall be the duty of the person so appointed to select and designate the place in the City of Austin at which the convention of those persons, groups, and organizations favoring the ratification of the amendment shall convene and hold its meeting, and the person so appointed shall preside as president pro tem. until the permanent officers of the convention are elected. The Governor shall likewise appoint a qualified voter of this State, known to him to oppose the ratification of the proposed amendment, and the person so appointed shall select and designate the place in the City of Austin where the convention of those persons, groups, and organizations opposing the ratification of the proposed amendment shall convene and hold their meeting, and the person so appointed shall preside and act as president pro tem. until the permanent officers of the convention of those persons opposing the ratification of the amendment are elected.

Sec. 3. After each such convention several States, an election shall be has been organized and its permaheld on the fourth Saturday in August | nent officers elected, the same shall of the year in which any such amend- proceed to nominate thirty-one (31) ment is submitted by the Congress of delegates and thirty-one (31) alter-

nates, each, such total number of delegates and such total number of alternates to be composed of one (1) delegate and one (1) alternate from each of the several thirty-one Senatorial Districts of the State. didates for the offices of delegates and alternates to the convention, to pass on the proposed amendment, shall be citizens and residents of this State and duly qualified voters in the Senatorial District from which they offer their candidacy for election, and their names shall be certified by the chairman and secretary of the respective conventions to the Secretary of State within five days after the day of holding the respective convention. No person shall be eligible as a delegate or alternate of the convention of those persons opposing the ratification of the amendment, unless he shall make affidavit before some officer authorized to administer oaths that he is opposed to the ratification of the amendment, and will so cast his vote in convention, and no person shall be eligible as a delegate or alternate of the convention favoring the ratification of the proposed amendment, unless he shall make affidavit in writing before some officer, authorized to administer oaths, that he favors the ratification of the amendment, and will so cast his vote in convention, and each such delegate and alternate shall file his affidavit with the chairman of the convention of which he is the nominee, or with the Secretary of State, which affidavit shall be filed within 15 days after the date of the filing of the list of delegates and alternates with the Secretary of State by the respective chairmen of the conventions. No nominee of either convention shall be either a State, district, or county The chairman of each officeholder. convention shall file the affidavit of the respective nominees of each convention with the Secretary of State, together with the certified list of nominees for said convention.

Sec. 4. Each such convention shall be required to keep a journal of its proceedings, and set forth among the minutes thereof the respective names of each delegate and alternate nominated at such convention, together with the number of votes received by each such nominee, together with all other proceedings that may be had in said convention. It shall be the duty of the chairman of each such conven- United States, which reads as follows:

tion, upon the adjournment thereof. to deposit each such journal with the Secretary of State, where the same shall remain as a permanent public

Sec. 5. It shall be the duty of the Secretary of State to certify to the county clerk of each county in this State the names of the persons selected as the nominees of each convention, and to show in his certificate those delegates and alternates in favor of the ratification of the amendment and those delegates and alternates against the ratification of such amendment.

Sec. 6. All laws pertaining to conducting and holding general elections and the qualifications of voters shall apply to the holding of the election ordered by the Governor, except in so far as they are inconsistent with the provisions of this Act.

Sec. 7. The election shall be by ballot, separate from any ballot to be used at the same election, and shall be prepared as follows: It shall first state the substance of the proposed amendment. This shall be followed by appropriate instructions to the voter. It shall then contain perpendicular columns of equal width headed, respectively, in plain type, "for ratification of the above amendment," and "against ratification of the above amendment." In the column headed "for ratification of the above amendment" shall be placed the names of the nominees or delegates and alternates nominated as in favor of the ratification; in the column headed "against ratification of the above amendment" shall be placed the names of the nominees, or delegates, and alternates nominated, as opposed to the ratification. The voter shall be entitled to vote for any number of candidates whose names appear on such ballot, not to exceed thirty-one (31) delegates and thirtyone (31) alternates. Such voter shall indicate his choice by drawing a line through, or striking out, all the names of such candidates other than the ones for whom he desires to cast his vote.

The ballot shall be substantially in the following form:

"Proposed Amendment to the Constitution of the United States

"The Congress has proposed an amendment to the Constitution of the

"(Here insert the proposed amendment.)

"Instructions to the Voter

"For the ratification of the above amendment.

"(Insert names of delegates, and then alternates, in alphabetical order, favoring the ratification of the amend-

"Against the ratification of the above amendment.

"(Insert names of delegates, and then alternates, in alphabetical order, against the ratification of the amendment.)"

Sec. 7-a. Provided, however, that if such proposed amendment is one which repeals another amendment to the Constitution of the United States, then it shall not be necessary to state the substance of the proposed amendment; and in lieu of the words "for ratification of the above amendment," and "against ratification of the above amendment," at the top of the two perpendicular columns, there shall be inserted the words "For repeal of the amendment," and the words "Against the repeal of the amendment," respectively; the number of such amendment, which it is proposed to repeal, to be inserted in the blank space above, as e. g.: "for repeal of the Eighteenth Amendment," and "against repeal of the Eighteenth Amendment." In such instances the ballot shall be substantially in the following form:

"Instructions to the Voter

"For the repeal of the.....amendment. (Inserting in the blank the number of the amendment proposed to be repealed.)

"(Insert the names of delegates, and then alternates, in alphabetical order, favoring the repeal of the amendment.)

"Against the repeal of the...... amendment. (Inserting in the blank the number of the amendment proposed to be repealed.)

"(Insert the names of delegates, and then alternates, in alphabetical order, against the repeal of the amendment.)"

to vote for not more than thirty-one and upon final adjournment the jour-

delegates (candidates) and thirty-one alternates (candidates), and shall indicate his choice by drawing a line through or marking out all the names of such delegates (candidates) and alternates (candidates) other than the ones for whom he desires to cast his vote.

Sec. 8. Returns shall be made of the election in the same manner and by the same officers as is provided by law for the making of returns of elections for Railroad Commissioners. On the thirtieth (30th) day following the day of the election, and not before, the Secretary of State, in the presence of the Governor and the Attorney General, or either of them, shall open and canvass the returns of the election.

Sec. 9. The thirty-one (31) delegates and the thirty-one (31) alternates, receiving the highest number of votes, shall be declared elected, and the Governor shall issue to each of those persons a certificate of election which shall be signed by the Governor and attested by the Secretary of State.

Sec. 10. On the ninetieth (90th) day following the day of the election, the thirty-one (31) delegates and thirty-one (31) alternates, elected at the said election and commissioned by the Governor, shall convene in the City of Austin, at 10 o'clock a. m., and shall thereupon constitute a convention to pass upon the question of whether or not the proposed amendment to the Constitution shall be rat-

Sec. 11. A majority of the delegates so elected shall constitute a quorum at such convention for the purpose of transacting business. A majority of the quorum present and voting may act for the convention. In the event any delegate to such convention, after he has been duly elected, shall die, resign, become incapacitated, or fail to attend such convention, then, and in any such event, the alternate of such delegate shall act in the stead of said delegate with the full and complete powers of said delegate.

Sec. 12. The convention shall keep a journal of its proceedings in which shall be recorded the vote of each delegate on the question of the rat-Sec. 7-b. The voter shall be entitled ification of the proposed amendment,

nal reflecting the vote of the delegates, together with the minutes of the convention, shall be filed with the Secretary of State of the State of Texas, where it shall remain on file as a public record.

Sec. 13. If the convention shall agree to the ratification of the proposed amendment, a certificate to that effect shall be executed by the president and secretary of the convention, and transmitted to the Secretary of State of this State, and to the Secretary of State of the United States. The Secretary of State shall, in turn, transmit such certificate under the great seal of the sovereign State of Texas to the Secretary of State of the United States.

Sec. 14. The expenses necessary to conduct such election shall be paid for by the respective counties of this State in the same manner as is now provided by law with reference to any other general or special Statewide election, and the duties of all public officials with reference to providing for such election shall be the same as is now prescribed by law with reference to other elections except as herein provided.

Sec. 15. The permanent chairman of each convention, provided for in Section 2 hereof, is hereby empowered to appoint a chairman and vicechairman for each county. The chairman in each county (or the vicechairman, in event of failure or inability of the chairman) is hereby empowered to appoint one assistant election judge and one clerk for each voting precinct for the purpose of assisting in holding the election provided for by this Act. Should a chairman or vice-chairman fail to make such appointments, then the presiding judge of each precinct is hereby empowered to appoint such assistants, in the manner now provided by statute, the appointees, however, shall be selected to equally represent both sides of the question; otherwise the said election, manner of conducting the same, and the returns thereof, shall be in all things held as is now provided by statute for the holding of general elections. None of the expenses arising or accruing because of the appointment of, or the services rendered by, the officials provided for in this Section shall be borne by the vote:

State or any county thereof; provided, however, any other usual, customary election expenses for officials to hold said election and for other election expenses shall be paid as is now provided by law for general elections.

Sec. 16. The delegates elected to such convention shall defray their own expenses incurred in connection therewith.

Sec. 17. If Congress should, at any time, either by resolution or by statute, prescribe the method and manner in which the convention shall be constituted, and shall not except from the provisions of such statute or resolution such States as may have theretofore provided for constituting such conventions, the provisions of this Act shall be inoperative in so far as the same shall operate as to conflict with such resolution or Act of Congress.

Sec. 18. The fact that Congress has recently submitted to the several States for ratification, or rejection, an amendment to the Constitution of the United States, to be acted upon in conventions in the respective States, and in such resolution did not provide the manner and method in which such convention shall be constituted, and due to the further fact that there are no adequate laws at this time in this State for constituting such convention, create an emergency and an imperative public necessity that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days in each House, be suspended, and said rule is hereby suspended, and this Act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage, and it is so enacted.

Respectfully submitted,

HOPKINS, RAWLINGS, WOODWARD, COLLIER, REGAN,

On the part of the Senate;

HUGHES, MOFFETT, BECK, HANKAMER, MOORE,

On the part of the House.

On motion of Mrs. Hughes, the report was adopted by the following vote:

Yeas-120

Jefferson. Adamson. Aikin. Johnson of Anderson. Alexander. Jones of Atascosa.
Jones of Runnels. Alsup. Anderson Kyle of Hays. of Bexar. Kyle of Palo Pinto. Anderson of Johnson. Laird. Baker. Latham. Barron. Lemens. Beck. Leonard. Bedford. Lindsey. Bourne. Lotief. Bradley. Mackay. Magee. McClain. Burns. Butler. Calvert. McCullough. McDougald. Camp. Canon. McKee. Cathey. Merritt. Metcalfe. Caven. Clayton. Mitcham. Colson. Moffett. Coombes. Moore. Morrison. Cowley. Crossley. Morse. Daniel. Munson. Davidson. Nicholson. Dean. Palmer. Parkhouse. Dunlap. Dunagan. Pavlica. Duvall. Pope. Engelhard. Puryear. Fain. Ramsey. Few. Ratliff. Reed of Dallas. Ford. Fuchs. Renfro. Glass. Riddle. Golson. Roberts. Good. Rogers Goodman. of Ochiltree. Graves. Rollins. Greathouse. Ross. Russell. Griffith. Scarborough. Haag. Hankamer. Shannon. Harris. Smith. Harrison. Stanfield. Hartzog. Steward. Head. Stinson. Hester. Sullivant. Hill of Brazoria. Tarwater. Hill of Webb. Tennyson. Tillery. Hodges. Holekamp. Townsend. Holland. Van Zandt. Hoskins. Wagstaff. Walker. Huddleston. Hughes. Wells. Hunt. Winningham. Hyder. Wood. Jackson. Young.

Nays—8

Barrett.

Fisher.

Ray. Reed of Bowie. Shults. Thomas. Turlington. Vaughan.

Absent

Celaya. Long. Chastain. Mathis. Devall. McGregor. Dwyer. Patterson. Harman. Reader. Rogers of Hunt. Hicks. Holloway. Savage. James. Scott. Jones of Shelby. Stovall. Weinert. Kayton.

Absent-Excused

Johnson of Dimmit.

REQUESTING RETURN OF SEN-ATE BILL NO. 412 FOR FUR-THER CONSIDERATION

The Speaker laid before the House, for consideration at this time, the following resolution:

S. C. R. No. 52, Requesting return of Senate Bill No. 412.

Whereas, Senate Bill No. 412 was finally passed by the Senate on April 20, and is now pending in the House; and

Whereas, The further consideration by the Senate of said bill is deemed necessary. Therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring, That the House of Representatives be requested to return Senate Bill No. 412 to the Senate for further consideration.

On motion of Mr. Barron, the resolution was referred to the Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

MOTION TO LAY HOUSE BILL NO. 905 ON TABLE SUBJECT TO CALL

Mr. McClain moved that House Bill No. 905 be laid on the table subject to call.

The motion was lost.

RECESS

On motion of Mr. Wells, the House, at 12 o'clock m., took recess to 2 o'clock p. m., today.

AFTERNOON SESSION

The House met at 2 o'clock p. m., and was called to order by the Speaker.

BILL RE-COMMITTED

On motion of Mr. Goodman, Senate Bill No. 32 was re-committed to the Committee on Judiciary.

INVITATION TO ATTEND WATER CARNIVAL AT SAN MARCOS

On motion of Mr. Patterson, the following invitation was ordered printed in the Journal:

Fort Worth, Texas, May 4, 1933.

Representatives Patterson and Duvall, Austin, Texas.

Please extend to the Membership of the House and Senate and their families an invitation to attend the swimming pool meeting at San Marcos, Saturday, May 6. They are invited to participate in discussions in the amusements, and they are to be guests at the water carnival and dance. For detailed particulars you are referred to Representative Kyle of Hays and Senator Hopkins. Assuring you of a most hearty welcome, I am, for the Texas Beach and Pool Association,

R. D. EVANS.

President Texas Beach and Pool Association.

BILL AND RESOLUTION SIGNED BY THE SPEAKER

The Speaker signed, in the presence of the House, after giving due notice thereof, and their captions had been read severally, the following enrolled bill and resolution:

H. B. No. 845, "An Act authorizing independent school districts to build or purchase buildings and grounds for the purpose of constructing gymnasia, stadia, or other recreational facilities, and to encumber the same and the income thereof to secure the payment of the purchase price to evidence the indebtedness created thereby by the issuance of bonds, notes, or other evidences of indebtedness; providing that the purchaser shall have a franchise to operate same in case of foreclosure; providing that such obligations shall never be a debt of such school district; providing that such projects shall be deemed self-liquidating in character; providing that repairs to such properties shall be a first lien; providing that the tolls, fees, and Caven. other charges made for the use thereof shall be at a rate sufficient to pay Clayton.

the current interest and provide the necessary sinking fund therefor; etc.; and declaring an emergency."

H. C. R. No. 38, Granting Interstate Contracting Company permission to sue the State.

BILL ORDERED NOT PRINTED

On motion of Mr. Pope, by unanimous consent of the House, House Bill No. 923 was ordered not printed.

SENATE BILL NO. 203 ON PASSAGE TO THIRD READING

The House resumed consideration of pending business, same being Senate Bill No. 203, relative to amending Chapter 40, Acts of the Second Called Session of the Forty-second Legislature, etc.; the bill having been read second time on this morning.

Mr. Wells moved the previous question on the passage of the bill to third reading, and the main question was ordered.

Senate Bill No. 203 was then passed to third reading.

SENATE BILL NO. 203 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Latham moved that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days, be suspended, and that Senate Bill No. 203 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas-102

Coombes. Aikin. Alexander. Cowley. Alsup. Crosslev. Daniel. Anderson of Johnson. Davidson. Baker. Dean. Devall. Barrett. Dunlap. Barron. Dunagan. Beck. Bedford. Engelhard. Bourne. Few. Ford. Bradley. Fuchs. Burns. Glass. Butler. Calvert. Golson. Good. Camp. Graves. Canon. Greathouse. Chastain. Griffith. Haag.

Hankamer. Moore. Hartzog. Morse. Head. Nicholson. Hester. Palmer. Hill of Brazoria. Parkhouse. Hill of Webb. Patterson. Hodges. Pavlica. Holekamp. Pope. Holland. Ramsey. Holloway. Ratliff. Reader. Hoskins. Huddleston. Renfro. Hunt. Roberts. Hyder. Rogers of Ochiltree. Jackson. Rollins. James. Jefferson. Ross. Jones of Runnels. Russell. Jones of Shelby. Scarborough. Kayton. Shannon. Kyle of Palo Pinto. Stanfield. Laird. Steward. Latham. Stinson. Lemens. Sullivant. Leonard. Tarwater. Thomas. Lotief. Townsend. Mackay. McClain. Turlington. McCullough. Wagstaff. Walker. Metcalfe. Mitcham. Wells. Moffett. Young.

Nays—23

Merritt. Adamson. Morrison. Anderson of Bexar. Munson. Fain. Puryear. Ray. Reed of Bowie. Fisher. Goodman. Riddle. Harris. Shults. Hughes. Kyle of Hays. Smith. Lindsey. Stovall. Magee. Tillery. McDougald. Winningham.

Absent

Cathey. Mathis. McGregor. Celaya. McKee. Colson. Reed of Dallas. Duvall. Rogers of Hunt. Dwyer. Harman. Savage. Harrison. Scott. Hicks. Tennyson. Van Žandt. Johnson of Anderson. Vaughan. Jones of Atascosa. Weinert. Wood. Long.

Absent—Excused

Johnson of Dimmit.

The Speaker then laid Senate Bill No. 203 before the House on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time.

Mr. Morse moved the previous question on the passage of the bill, and the main question was ordered.

Senate Bill No. 203 was then passed by the following vote:

Yeas-103

Alexander. Jones of Atascosa. Alsup. Jones of Shelby. Anderson Kayton. Kyle of Hays. of Johnson. Baker. Kyle of Palo Pinto. Barron. Laird. Beck. Latham. Bedford. Lemens. Bradley. Leonard. Burns. Mackay. Butler. McClain. Calvert. McCullough. Camp. McGregor. Canon. McKee. Caven. Metcalfe. Chastain. Mitcham. Clayton. Moffett. Colson. Moore. Cowley. Morse. Crossley. Nicholson. Daniel. Palmer. Davidson. Parkhouse. Dean. Patterson. Devall. Pavlica. Dunlap. Pope. Dunagan. Ramsey. Engelhard. Ratliff. Ford. Reader. Fuchs. Reed of Dallas. Golson. Renfro. Good. Riddle. Graves. Roberts. Greathouse. Rogers of Ochiltree. Rollins. Griffith. Haag. Ross. Hankamer. Russell. Harman. Hartzog. Scarborough. Head. Shannon. Hester. Stanfield. Hill of Brazoria. Steward. Hill of Webb. Stinson. Hodges. Sullivant. Holekamp. Tarwater. Tennyson. Holland. Holloway. Townsend. Turlington. Huddleston. Van Zandt. Hunt. Hyder. Wagstaff. Walker. Jackson. James. Wood. Jefferson. Young.

Johnson

of Anderson.

Nays-26

Adamson. McDougald.
Aikin. Merritt.
Anderson Morrison.
of Bexar. Munson.
Barrett. Puryear.
Bourne. Ray.

Fain. Reed of Bowie. Fisher. Shults. Goodman. Smith.

Harris. Stovall.
Hughes. Thomas.
Jones of Runnels. Tillery.
Lindsey. Vaughan.

Magee.

Absent

Cathey. Long. Celaya. Lotief. Coombes. Mathis.

Duvall. Rogers of Hunt.
Dwyer. Savage.
Few. Scott.
Glass. Weinert.
Harrison. Wells.
Hicks. Winningham.

Hicks. Hoskins.

Absent-Excused

Johnson of Dimmit.

REASONS FOR VOTES

Austin, Texas, May 4, 1933.

To the Hon. Coke Stevenson, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Mr. Speaker: I vote against the passage of Senate Bill No. 203 for the reason, under the facts and circumstances which these contracts were let, I regard the loss to the State of Texas as heavy, and amounts to an absolute gift to the parties who have solemnly contracted and agreed to develop this property.

GOODMAN.

I vote "nay" on the passage of Senate Bill No. 203, for the following reasons:

This bill abrogates a binding contract made between the State of Texas and certain oil companies, and in my judgment, releases to such oil companies more than three million dollars, which rightfully belongs to the State of Texas under the contract, and is against sound public policy.

Because it establishes a precedent, Crossley. which would permit every oil company in Texas, having an oil lease Davidson. On any State or school lands to ask

for the same thing granted oil companies under this bill.

Because this bill violates Section 55, of Article 32, of the Constitution of Texas, which says: "The Legislature shall have no power to release, or extinguish, or to authorize the release, or extinguishing, in whole or in part, the indebtedness, liability, or obligation of any incorporation or individual to this State."

VAUGHAN.

HOUSE BILL NO. 799 WITH SEN-ATE AMENDMENTS

Mr. Haag called up from the Speaker's table, with Senate amendments, for consideration of the amendments,

H. B. No. 799, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 1601, Chapter 5, Title 33, of the Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, 1925, as amended by Acts, 1927, Fortieth Legislature, Regular Session, page 264, Chapter 185, so as to require all indebtedness against a courthouse, or courthouses, shall be paid in full before the county seat of any county can be moved from its present location; repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith; declaring a rule of construction; and declaring an emergency."

The Speaker laid the bill before the House, with the Senate amendments.

On motion of Mr. Haag, the House concurred in the Senate amendments by the following vote:

Yeas-107

Aikin. Dwyer. Engelhard. Alexander. Alsup. Fain. Anderson Few. of Bexar. Fisher. Fuchs. Anderson Golson. of Johnson. Baker. Goodman. Graves. Barrett. Greathouse. Barron. Haag. Bedford. Hankamer. Bourne. Harris. Bradley. Head. Burns. Butler. Hester. Hill of Brazoria. Calvert. Hill of Webb. Canon. Hodges. Chastain. Holekamp. Clayton. Holland. Crossley. Daniel. Holloway. Hoskins. Huddleston.

Hughes. Ray. Reader. Hunt. Reed of Bowie. Hyder. Reed of Dallas. Jackson. James. Renfro. Riddle. Jefferson. Jones of Atascosa. Rogers Jones of Runnels. of Ochiltree. Jones of Shelby. Rollins. Kyle of Hays. Ross. Kyle of Palo Pinto. Russell. Latham. Scarborough. Shannon. Lemens. Leonard. Shults. Lotief. Smith. Stanfield. Magee. Steward. Mackay. McDougald. Stinson. Merritt. Stovall. Metcalfe. Sullivant. Mitcham. Tarwater. Moffett. Tennyson. Thomas. Moore. Morrison. Tillery. Morse. Townsend. Munson. Turlington. Nicholson. Van Zandt. Parkhouse. Vaughan. Wagstaff. Walker. Pavlica. Pope. Ramsey. Wells. Wood. Ratliff.

Nays-4

Beck. Lindsey.

Puryear. Scott.

Absent

Adamson. Hicks. Camp. Johnson Cathey. of Anderson. Caven. Kayton. Celaya. Laird. Long. Mathis. Colson. Coombes. Cowley. McClain. McCullough. Dean. Devall. McGregor. Dunlap. McKee. Duvall. Palmer. Ford. Patterson. Glass. Roberts. Rogers of Hunt. Good. Griffith. Savage. Weinert. Harman. Harrison. Winningham. Hartzog. Young.

Absent-Excused

Johnson of Dimmit.

SENATE BILL NO. 244 ON SECOND READING

On motion of Mr. Haag, by unanimous consent, the regular order of business was suspended to take up, and have placed on its second reading and passage to third reading,

S. B. No. 244, A bill to be entitled "An Act authorizing water improvement districts to borrow money and create debts and obligations to fully carry out the purpose of their organization, and to levy and collect taxes, and to fix, levy, and collect charges for the use of water and power, and other services, and to pledge same for the payment of debts, and to provide for the government and operation of such districts; and declaring an emergency."

The Speaker laid the bill before the House, and it was read second time.

Mr. Haag offered the following committee amendments to the bill:

(1)

Amend Senate Bill No. 244 by adding after the word "assessed," on the fourth line of Section 2 of the engrossed Senate bill, the following: "for the payment thereof, or taxes may be fixed, levied, assessed"

(2)

Amend Senate Bill No. 244 by adding at the end of Section 2 the following:

"It is hereby expressly provided that nothing in this Act shall prevent governing boards of water improvement districts from creating, without the consent of the property taxpaying voters of the district, any debt or obligation when such debt or obligation is created to defray ordinary maintenance and operation expenses, or when it is contemplated that such debt or obligation is to be retired from current revenues."

The amendments were severally adopted.

Senate Bill No. 244 was then passed to third reading.

SENATE BILL NO. 244 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Haag moved that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days, be suspended, and that Senate Bill No. 244 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas-101

Kyle of Hays. Adamson. Kyle of Palo Pinto. Aikin. Alexander. Laird. Latham. Alsup. Anderson Leonard. Mackay. of Bexar. Magee. Anderson McCullough. of Johnson. McKee. Baker. Merritt. Barrett. Metcalfe. Barron. Mitcham. Beck. Moffett. Bedford. Moore. Bourne. Morrison. Bradley. Morse. Burns. Butler. Munson. Calvert. Nicholson. Palmer. Canon. Parkhouse. Caven. Patterson. Chastain. Pavlica. Clayton. Puryear. Cowley. Ramsey. Crossley. Ratliff. Dunagan. Reader. Engelhard. Reed of Bowie. Fain. Fisher. Reed of Dallas. Fuchs. Renfro. Glass. Roberts. Golson. Rogers of Ochiltree. Goodman. Rollins. Graves. Russell. Greathouse. Scarborough. Griffith. Haag. Scott. Hankamer. Shannon. Shults. Harris. Smith. Head. Hill of Brazoria. Stanfield. Hodges. Steward. Stinson. Holloway. Stovall. Hoskins. Huddleston. Sullivant. Hughes. Tennyson. Thomas. Hunt. Turlington. Hyder. Van Zandt. Jackson. Jefferson. Vaughan. Walker. Johnson of Anderson. Winningham. Jones of Atascosa. Wood. Jones of Shelby.

Absent

Camp. Daniel.
Cathey. Davidson.
Celaya. Dean.
Colson. Devall.
Coombes. Dunlap.

Duvall. Lotief. Mathis. Dwyer. McClain. Few. Ford. McDougald. Good. McGregor. Harman. Pope. Harrison. Ray. Hartzog. Riddle. Hester. Rogers of Hunt. Hicks. Ross. Hill of Webb. Savage. Holekamp. Tarwater. Holland. Tillery. James. Townsend, Jones of Runnels. Wagstaff. Kayton. Weinert. Lemens. Wells. Lindsey. Young. Long.

Absent—Excused

Johnson of Dimmit.

The Speaker then laid Senate Bill No. 244 before the House on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas-107

Adamson. Haag. Aikin. Hankamer. Alexander. Harris. Alsup. Head. Hill of Brazoria. Anderson of Bexar. Hodges. Anderson Holloway. Hoskins. of Johnson. Baker. Huddleston. Barrett. Hughes. Hyder. Barron. Beck. Jackson. Bedford. Jefferson. Jones of Atascosa. Bourne. Bradley. Jones of Runnels. Jones of Shelby. Butler. Kyle of Hays. Calvert. Kyle of Palo Pinto. Canon. Laird. Caven. Chastain. Latham. Clayton. Leonard. Cowley. Magee. Mackay. Crossley. Davidson. Mathis. McCullough. Dean. McKee. Dunagan. Merritt. Dwyer. Metcalfe. Engelhard. Mitcham. Fain. Fisher. Moffett. Fuchs. Moore. Glass. Morrison. Golson. Morse.

Munson.

Palmer.

Nicholson.

Graves. Greathouse.

Griffith.

Parkhouse. Scarborough. Patterson. Scott. Pavlica. Shannon. Pope. Shults. Puryear. Smith. Ramsey. Stanfield. Ratliff. Steward. Ray. Stinson. Reader. Stovall. Reed of Bowie. Sullivant. Reed of Dallas. Tennyson. Renfro. Thomas. Riddle. Turlington. Roberts. Van Zandt. Rogers Vaughan. of Ochiltree. Wagstaff. Rollins. Walker. Ross. Winningham. Russell. Wood.

Absent

Burns. Holland. Camp. Hunt. Cathey. James. Celaya. Johnson Colson. of Anderson. Coombes. Kayton. Daniel. Lemens. Devall. Lindsey. Dunlap. Long. Duvall. Lotief. Few. McClain. Ford. McDougald. Good. McGregor. Goodman. Rogers of Hunt. Harman. Savage. Harrison. Tarwater. Tillery. Hartzog. Hester. Townsend. Hicks. Weinert. Hill of Webb. Wells. Holekamp. Young.

Absent—Excused

Johnson of Dimmit.

SENATE BILL NO. 334 ON SECOND READING

On motion of Mr. Huddleston, by unanimous consent, the regular order of business was suspended to take up, and have placed on its second reading and passage to third reading,

S. B. No. 334, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Articles 1111, 1112, 1113, and 1114, of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas for 1925, and amendments thereof as passed by the Fortieth Legislature, found in Chapter 194, page 276, of the Regular Session of the Fortieth Legislature, and as amended by Chapter 32, Acts of the Third Called Session of the

Forty-second Legislature, at page 96, of the Acts of the Third Called Session of the Forty-second Legislature, providing for the character of repairs and extensions necessary to render efficient service which shall be a first lien and charge upon the incomes of the particular utility which is repaired or extended; and declaring an emergency."

The Speaker laid the bill before the House, and it was read second time.

Mr. Burns offered the following committee amendment to the bill:

Amend the bill, as pending in the House, by adding three new Sections, properly numbered, immediately before the emergency clause section:

"Section —. Projects financed in accordance with this law are hereby declared to be self-liquidating in character, and supported by charges other than by taxation.

"Section —. All laws and parts thereof, in conflict herewith, are hereby repealed to the extent of the conflict, and this law shall take precedence over all conflicting city charter provisions.

"Section —. The actions of all cities and towns and of all officials in passing ordinances, adopting resolutions, executing securities, and delivering securities to accomplish the objects permitted under this Act, are hereby expressly authorized and validated in like manner as if this law had been effective at the time of such actions, subject to the provisions of Subsection 5."

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Burns offered the following committee amendment to the bill:

Amend Senate Bill No. 334 by adding after the word "gas": "systems, parks, and/or swimming pools."

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Burns offered the following committee amendment to the bill:

Amend the caption to be and read as follows:

"S. B. No. 334,

A BILL

To Be Entitled

An Act to amend Articles 1111, 1112, 1113, and 1114, of the Revised Civil-Statutes of Texas for 1925, and

amendments thereof as passed by the Fortieth Legislature, and as amended by Chapter 32, Acts of the Third Called Session of the Forty-second Legislature, at page 96; providing for the character of repairs and extensions necessary to render efficient service which shall be a first lien and charge upon the incomes of the particular utility which is repaired or extended, providing for proper records to be kept of income and expenses, providing a penalty for failure to maintain such records, providing that bonds issued under the provisions of this Act may be approved by the Attorney General and registered by the Comptroller, declaring projects carried out under the terms of this Act to be self-liquidating, repealing laws in conflict herewith, providing that this law shall take precedence over con-flicting charter provisions, validat-ing all actions by cities and towns and their officials in authorizing and delivering securities to accomplish the object of this Act, and declaring an emergency.'

The amendment was adopted.

Senate Bill No. 334 was then passed to third reading.

SENATE BILL NO. 334 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Huddleston moved that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days, be suspended, and that Senate Bill No. 334 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas-111

Camp. Adamson. Aikin. Canon. Alexander. Chastain. Clayton. Alsup. Anderson Cowley. of Bexar. Crossley. Daniel. Anderson of Johnson. Davidson. Baker. Dean. Barrett. Devall. Dunagan. Barron. Beck. Dwyer. Engelhard. Bourne. Bradley. Fain. Burns. Fisher. Butler. Ford. Calvert. Fuchs.

Moore. Glass. Golson. Morrison. Morse. Goodman. Munson. Graves. Nicholson. Greathouse. Griffith. Palmer. Haag. Patterson. Pavlica. Hankamer. Pope. Harris. Puryear. Harrison. Ramsey. Hartzog. Head. Ratliff. Ray. Hester. Hill of Brazoria. Reader. Hill of Webb. Reed of Bowie. Hodges. Reed of Dallas. Holekamp. Renfro. Holloway. Rogers of Ochiltree. Hoskins. Huddleston. Rollins. Hughes. Ross. Hunt. Scarborough. Hyder. Scott. Jackson. Shannon. Shults. Johnson of Anderson. Smith. Jones of Atascosa. Stanfield. Jones of Runnels. Steward. Jones of Shelby. Stinson. Kyle of Hays. Stovall. Kyle of Palo Pinto. Sullivant. Laird. Thomas. Tillery. Latham. Turlington. Magee. Mackay. Van Zandt. McDougald. Vaughan. McKee. Wagstaff. Walker. Merritt. Metcalfe. Winningham. Mitcham. Wood. Moffett.

Nays—1

Parkhouse.

Present—Not Voting

Tennyson.

Leonard.

Absent

Bedford. Lindsey. Long. Cathey. Caven. Lotief. Mathis. Celaya. McClain. Colson. McCullough. Coombes. McGregor. Dunlap. Riddle. Duvall. Roberts. Few. Rogers of Hunt. Good. Russell. Harman. Savage. Hicks. Tarwater. Holland. Townsend. James. Weinert. Jefferson. \mathbf{Wells} . Kayton. Young. Lemens.

Absent—Excused

Johnson of Dimmit.

The Speaker then laid Senate Bill No. 334 before the House on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas--102

Adamson. Jones of Atascosa. Aikin. Jones of Runnels. Alexander. Jones of Shelby. Alsup. Kyle of Hays. Kyle of Palo Pinto. Anderson of Bexar. Laird. Anderson Latham. of Johnson. Magee. Baker. Mackay. Barron. Mathis. McKee. Beck. Bourne. Merritt. Metcalfe. Bradley. Mitcham. Burns. Butler. Moffett. Calvert. Moore. Camp. Morrison. Morse. Canon. Munson. Caven. Chastain. Nicholson. Palmer. Clayton. Cowley. Pavlica. Daniel. Ramsey. Davidson. Ratliff. Dean. Ray. Devall. Reader. Dunagan. Reed of Bowie. Reed of Dallas. Engelhard. Fain. Renfro. Fisher. Rogers Fuchs. of Ochiltree. Glass. Rollins. Golsón. Ross. Goodman. Scarborough. Graves. Scott. Griffith. Shannon. Haag. Shults. Harris. Smith. Stanfield. Hartzog. Head. Steward. Hester. Stinson. Hill of Brazoria. Stovall. Hill of Webb. Sullivant. Hodges. Tennyson. Holekamp. Thomas. Tillery. Holloway. Hoskins. Turlington. Huddleston. Van Zandt. Hughes. Vaughan. Hunt. Wagstaff. Hyder. Winningham. Jackson. Wood.

Johnson

of Anderson.

Nays-2

Hankamer.

Parkhouse.

Present—Not Voting

Puryear.

Absent

Barrett. Leonard. Bedford. Lindsev. Cathey. Long. Celaya. Lotief. Colson. McClain. Coombes. McCullough. Crossley. McDougald. Dunlap. McGregor. Duvall. Patterson. Dwyer. Pope. Few. Riddle. Ford. Roberts. Good. Rogers of Hunt. Greathouse. Russell. Harman. Savage. Harrison. Tarwater. Townsend. Hicks. Holland. Walker. James. Weinert. Jefferson. Wells. Kayton. Young. Lemens.

Absent—Excused

Johnson of Dimmit.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Senate Chamber, Austin, Texas, May 4, 1933.

Hon. Coke Stevenson, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has adopted

- H. C. R. No. 7, Granting W. T. Starr, of Gainesville, Texas, permission to sue the State.
- H. C. R. No. 18, Proposing for the State to accept title to the De Zavala Cemetery Park.
- H. C. R. No. 49, Granting Dick Isbell permission to sue the State in a court of competent jurisdiction in Travis County. (With amendment.)
- H. C. R. No. 59, Granting Albert Moore permission to sue the State.
- H. C. R. No. 60, Granting W. C. Moore permission to bring suit against the State. (With amendment.)
- H. C. R. No. 69-a, Granting Martin Brothers permission to sue the State.

H. C. R. No. 71, Granting John Minica permission to sue the State. (With amendments.)

The Senate has passed

H. B. No. 62, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 1778, of Chapter 6, of Title 37, and Article 1871, of Chapter 5, of Title 39, of the Revised Civil Statutes of 1925, relating to the time for returning executions for costs issued from the Supreme Court and Courts of Civil Appeals; repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 109, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Article 6881, of Title 120, Chapter 5, of the Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, 1925, correcting the laws applying to bonds executed by constables; and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 294, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 2029, Chapter 3, of the Revised Civil Statutes of 1925 (relating to service of citation on officers or agents of associations, etc., in suits against such associations, corporations, etc.), and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 762, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 2525, of Chapter 1, Title 47, of the Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas of 1925, as amended by Chapter 57, of the Acts of the First Called Session of the Fortieth Legislature, by adding thereto appropriate provisions for periodical inquiries by the State Depository Board as to the rate of interest to be paid by State depositories and reserve depositories, conferring power on said Board to adjust such rate of interest from time to time, and providing that any State depository or reserve depository, considering itself to be aggrieved by such action of the Board, shall have the right to cancel its contract, as provided by Article 2537, of the Revised Civil Statutes; etc.; and declaring an emergency."

The Senate has adopted conference committee report on House Bill No. 807 by the following vote: Yeas, 31; nays, 0.

of the House for a conference com- ments, for consideration of the mittee on House Bill No. 11. The fol- amendments.

lowing have been appointed on the part of the Senate: Senators Woodward, Small, Rawlings, Pace, and Fell-

> Respectfully, BOB BARKER, Secretary of the Senate.

INVITATION TO MERWIN HAAG

Mr. Metcalfe offered the following resolution:

Whereas, Merwin Haag, son of B. Frank Haag, an Honorable Member of this House, is now on the floor of the House; and

Whereas, Merwin has thrice been the district champion declaimer of his district, and he is now in Austin to represent his district as a declaimer in the State-wide contest; and

Whereas, His subject is of National importance, and will be of interest to the Members of this House; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That Merwin Haag be invited to declaim in the House at 4:35 p. m., May 4, 1933.

> SCOTT, METCALFE, MATHIS.

The resolution was read second time, and was adopted.

Merwin Haag having been escorted to the Speaker's stand by Mr. Scott, then declaimed for the House.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLU-TION NO. 60 WITH SENATE AMENDMENTS

Mr. Sullivant called up from the Speaker's table, with Senate amendments, for consideration of the amendments,

H. C. R. No. 60, Granting W. C. Moore permission to sue the State.

The Speaker laid the resolution before the House, with the Senate amendments.

On motion of Mr. Sullivant, the House concurred in the Senate amendments.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLU-TION NO. 49 WITH SENATE **AMENDMENTS**

Mr. Dunagan called up from the The Senate has granted the request Speaker's table, with Senate amendH. C. R. No. 49, Granting Dick Isbell permission to sue the State.

The Speaker laid the resolution before the House, with the Senate amendments.

On motion of Mr. Dunagan the House concurred in the Senate amendments.

SENATE BILL NO. 251 ON SECOND READING

On motion of Mr. Coombes, the regular order of business was suspended, to take up, and have placed on its second reading and passage to third

reading,

S. B. No. 251, A bill to be entitled "An Act making appropriations to pay past due rent on armories from March 1, 1932, to August 31, 1932, under lease to the National Guard of the State of Texas, and authorizing payment of said rent on taking effect of this Act, and declaring an emergency."

The Speaker laid the bill before the House, and it was read second time.

Mr. Engelhard offered the following committee amendment to the bill:

Amend Senate Bill No. 251 by striking out the figures "\$390," page 4, opposite "H. M. & W. M. Helm, Decatur, Texas," and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "\$65."

Mr. Engelhard offered the following amendment to the committee amendment:

Amend committee amendment to Senate Bill No. 251 by striking out, at the end of committee amendment No. 1, the figures "\$65," and substituting in lieu thereof the figures "\$325."

The amendment was adopted.

The committee amendment as amended was then adopted.

Mr. Engelhard offered the following committee amendment to the bill:

Amend Senate Bill No. 251 by striking out the (total) figures "\$68,-985.62," page 6, and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "\$67,035.62."

Mr. Engelhard offered the following amendment to the committee amendment:

Amend committee amendment No. 3 to Senate Bill No. 251 by striking out, at the end thereof, the figures "\$67,035.62," and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "\$68,920.62."

The amendment was adopted.

The committee amendment as amended was then adopted.

Mr. Engelhard offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend Senate Bill No. 251 (as printed), page 4, line 27, by changing the letter "M" to the letter "N" in the words "Naud Burnett."

The amendment was adopted.

By unanimous consent of the House, the caption of the bill was ordered changed to conform to all changes, made in the body of the bill.

Mr. Van Zandt moved that the bill be laid on the table subject to call.

The motion was lost by the following vote:

Yeas-43

Aikin. James. Alsup. Johnson of Anderson. Camp. Canon. Latham. Cathey. Lemens. Chastain. Lindsey. Daniel. Lotief. Dean. Magee. Devall. Mathis. Dunagan. McClain. Fain. McKee. Pavlica. Fisher. Pope. Glass. Ray. Goodman. Griffith. Reed of Bowie. Harris. Riddle. Rollins. Hester. Tillery. Holloway. Huddleston. Turlington. Van Zandt. Hughes. Vaughan. Hunt. Hyder. Wood.

Nays—65

Golson. Adamson. Greathouse. Anderson of Bexar. Hankamer. Anderson Hartzog. of Johnson. Head. Barrett. Hill of Brazoria. Hill of Webb. Barron. Holekamp. Beck. Bedford. Hoskins. Jackson. Bourne. Jefferson. Bradley. Jones of Atascosa. Jones of Runnels. Burns. Calvert. Kyle of Hays. Clayton. Kyle of Palo Pinto. Colson. Laird. Crossley. Mackay. Davidson. Engelhard. McDougald. Merritt. Ford. l Fuchs. Moffett.

Moore.	Russell.
Morrison.	Scarborough.
Morse.	Scott.
Nicholson.	Shannon.
Palmer.	Shults.
Parkhouse.	Stanfield.
Patterson.	Steward.
Ratliff.	Stovall.
Reader.	Tennyson.
Renfro.	Thomas.
Roberts.	Wagstaff.
Rogers	Wells.
of Ochiltree.	Winningham.
Ross.	Young.

Present-Not Voting

Smith.

Absent

Alexander. Kayton. Leonard. Baker. Long. Butler. McCullough. Caven. Celaya. McGregor. Coombes. Metcalfe. Cowley. Mitcham. Dunlap. Munson. Puryear. Duvall. Dwyer. Ramsey. Reed of Dallas. Few. Rogers of Hunt. Good. Graves. Savage. Stinson. Haag. Harman. Sullivant. Harrison. Tarwater. Townsend. Hicks. Walker. Hodges. Weinert. Holland. Jones of Shelby.

Absent—Excused

Johnson of Dimmit.

Senate Bill No. 251 was then passed to third reading.

SENATE BILL NO. 251 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Engelhard moved that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days, be suspended, and that Senate Bill No. 251 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas-93

Adamson. Barron. Beck. Alsup. Anderson Bedford. Bourne. of Bexar. Bradley. Anderson of Johnson. Burns. Calvert. Barrett.

Canon. Merritt. Chastain. Moffett. Clayton. Moore. Colson. Morrison. Crossley. Morse. Daniel. Nicholson. Palmer. Davidson. Devall. Parkhouse. Dunagan. Patterson. Engelhard. Pavlica. Fain. Puryear. Ford. Ratliff. Fuchs. Ray. Glass. Reader. Golson. Renfro. Riddle. Griffith. Roberts. Hankamer. Harris. Rogers of Ochiltree. Hartzog. Rollins. Head. Hill of Brazoria. Ross. Russell. Hodges. Scarborough. Holekamp. Holloway. Scott. Hoskins. Shannon. Hughes. Shults. Hunt. Smith. Jackson. Stanfield. Steward. James. Johnson Stinson. of Anderson. Stovall. Jones of Atascosa. Sullivant. Jones of Runnels. Tennyson. Kyle of Hays. Thomas. Kyle of Palo Pinto. Townsend. Turlington. Laird. Latham. Van Zandt. Lemens. Wagstaff. Mackay. Wells. Mathis. Wood. McClain. Young. McDougald.

Nays-13

Jefferson. Aikin. Lotief. Fisher. Pope. Goodman. Reed of Bowie. Greathouse. Tillery. Hester. Huddleston. Vaughan. Hyder.

Present-Not Voting

Camp.

Absent

Dwyer. Alexander. Few. Baker. Butler. Good. Graves. Cathey. Haag. Caven. Harman. Celaya. Harrison. Coombes. Cowley. Hicks. Hill of Webb. Dean. Holland. Dunlap. Jones of Shelby. Duvall.

Kayton.	Munson.
Leonard.	Ramsey.
Lindsey.	Reed of Dallas.
Long.	Rogers of Hunt.
Magee.	Savage.
McCullough.	Tarwater.
McGregor.	Walker.
McKee.	Weinert.
Metcalfe.	Winningham.
Mitcham.	Ū

Absent—Excused

Johnson of Dimmit.

The Speaker then laid Senate Bill No. 251 before the House on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas-94

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Adamson.	Johnson
Aikin.	of Anderson.
Anderson	Jones of Atascosa
of Bexar.	Jones of Runnels. Kyle of Hays.
Anderson	Kyle of Hays.
of Johnson.	Kyle of Palo Pinto
Barrett.	Laird.
Barron.	Latham.
Beck.	Lemens.
Bedford.	Mackay.
Bourne.	Magee.
Bradley.	Mathis.
Burns.	McDougald.
Calvert.	McKee.
Canon.	Merritt.
Chastain.	Mitcham.
Clayton.	Moffett.
Cowley.	Moore.
Crossley.	Morrison.
Davidson.	Morse.
Dean.	Nicholson.
Devall.	Palmer.
Dunagan.	Parkhouse.
Duvall.	Patterson.
Engelhard.	Pavlica.
Fain.	Ratliff.
Ford.	Ray.
Fuchs.	Reader.
Glass.	Riddle.
Golson.	Roberts.
Griffith.	Rogers
Hankamer.	of Ochiltree.
Harris.	Rollins.
Hartzog.	Ross.
Head.	Russell.
Hill of Brazoria.	Scarborough.
Hill of Webb.	Scott.
Hodges.	Shannon.
Holekamp.	Shults.
Holloway.	Smith.
Hoskins.	Stanfield.
Jackson.	Steward.
James.	Stinson.
Jefferson.	Stovall.
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Sullivant.	Wagstaff.
Tennyson.	Walker.
Thomas.	Wells.
Townsend.	Wood.
Turlington.	Young.
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Nays—19

Hunt.
Hyder.
Lotief.
McClain.
Pope.
Puryear.
Reed of Bowie
Tillery.
Vaughan.

Absent

Alexander. Baker. Butler. Caven. Celaya. Colson. Coombes. Dunlap. Dwyer. Few. Good. Graves. Haag. Harman.	Kayton. Leonard. Lindsey. Long. McCullough. McGregor. Metcalfe. Munson. Ramsey. Reed of Dallas. Renfro. Rogers of Hunt. Savage. Tarwater. Van Zandt.
Harman.	Tarwater.

Absent-Excused

Johnson of Dimmit.

HOUSE BILL ON FIRST READING

Mr. McClain moved to introduce, at this time, and have placed on first reading, the following bill:

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas-104

Adamson.	Camp.
Aikin.	Canon.
Alsup.	Chastain.
Anderson	Clayton.
of Bexar.	Cowley.
Anderson	Daniel.
of Johnson.	Davidson.
Barrett.	Dean.
Barron.	Devall.
Beck.	Engelhard.
Bedford.	Fain.
Bourne.	Fisher.
Bradley.	Ford.
Burns.	Fuchs.
Calvert.	Glass.
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Moore. Golson. Goodman. Morrison. Morse. Greathouse. Griffith. Palmer. Parkhouse. Haag. Patterson. Hankamer. Pavlica. Harris. Pope. Hartzog. Head. Puryear. Ratliff. Hester. Hill of Brazoria. Ray. Reader. Hodges. Reed of Bowie. Holekamp. Riddle. Holloway. Roberts. Hoskins. Rogers Huddleston. of Ochiltree. Hunt. Hyder. Rollins. Jackson. Ross. James. Russell. Jefferson. Scarborough. Johnson Scott. of Anderson. Shannon. Jones of Atascosa. Shults. Jones of Runnels. Smith. Kyle of Hays. Stanfield. Kyle of Palo Pinto. Steward. Stovall. Laird. Latham. Sullivant. Lemens. Tennyson. Lotief. Thomas. Magee. Tillery. Townsend. Mackay. Turlington. Mathis. McClain. Vaughan. McDougald. Wagstaff. Walker. Merritt. Metcalfe. Wells. Wood. Mitcham.

Nays—1

Young.

Absent

Alexander. Jones of Shelby. Baker. Kayton. Leonard. Butler. Lindsey. Cathey. Caven. Long. McCullough. Celaya. McGregor. Colson. Coombes. McKee. Moffett. Crossley. Munson. Dunlap. Dunagan. Nicholson. Ramsey. Duvall. Reed of Dallas. Dwyer. Few. Renfro. Rogers of Hunt. Good. Graves. Savage. Harman. Stinson. Tarwater. Harrison. Van Zandt. Hicks. Hill of Webb. Weinert. Holland. Winningham. Hughes.

Absent-Excused

Johnson of Dimmit,

The Speaker then laid the bill before the House; it was read first time, and referred to the appropriate committee, as follows:

By Mr. McClain:

H. B. No. 925, A bill to be entitled "An Act to invest within the Board of Control the authority to make such oil and gas or mineral lease of certain land in Polk County, Texas, now owned and occupied by the Alabama and Coushati Indians; providing for notice to be given of intention to make such lease; providing for lease to be let for highest sum offered, and for the money so received in payment of lease to be placed in the State Treasury to the credit of said Indians, to be spent by and within the discretion of the Board of Control, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on State Affairs.

NOTICES GIVEN

Mr. McKee gave notice that he would, on the next legislative day, move to take up, for consideration at that time, House Bill No. 655, which bill had heretofore been laid on the table subject to call.

Mr. Van Zandt gave notice that he would, on the next legislative day, move to take up, for consideration at that time, House Bill No. 144, which bill had heretofore been laid on the table subject to call.

Mr. Parkhouse moved that the House adjourn until 9:30 o'clock a.m., Friday, May 5, and the motion was lost.

SENATE BILL NO. 465 ON SECOND READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to third reading,

S. B. No. 465, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Chapter 101, Special Laws of the Forty-second Legislature, Regular Session, the same being known as House Bill No. 744, by amending Section 2-d; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time, and was passed to third reading.

SENATE BILL NO. 465 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Holekamp moved that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days, be suspended, and that Senate Bill No. 465 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas-102

Adamson. Kyle of Palo Pinto. Aikin. Laird. Alsup. Latham. Anderson Lemens. of Bexar. Lindsey. Anderson Lotief. of Johnson. Magee. Barrett. Mackay. Barron. McClain. Bedford. McKee. Bourne. Merritt. Bradley. Mitcham. Moffett. Burns. Calvert. Moore. Morrison. Camp. Canon. Morse. Caven. Palmer. Chastain. Patterson. Pavlica. Clayton. Colson. Pope. Puryear. Cowley. Crossley. Ratliff. Daniel. Ray. Dean. Reader. Devall. Reed of Bowie. Dunlap. Riddle. Engelhard. Roberts. Fain. Rogers Fisher. of Ochiltree. Ford. Rollins. Glass. Ross. Golson. Scarborough. Greathouse. Scott. Haag. Shults. Smith. Harris. Harrison. Stanfield. Hartzog. Steward. Head. Stinson. Hester. Stovall. Hill of Brazoria. Sullivant. Hodges. Tennyson. Holekamp. Thomas. Huddleston. Tillery. Hughes. Townsend. Hunt. Turlington. Hyder. Van Zandt. James. Vaughan. Jefferson. Wagstaff. Johnson Walker. of Anderson. Wells. Jones of Atascosa. Jones of Runnels. Winningham. Wood.

Kyle of Hays.

Young.

Absent

Alexander. Hoskins. Baker. Jackson. Beck. Jones of Shelby. Butler. Kayton. Leonard. Cathey. Long. Celaya. Mathis. Coombes. Davidson. McCullough. Dunagan. McDougald. Duvall. McGregor. Dwyer. Metcalfe. Few. \mathbf{Munson}_{i} Fuchs. Nicholson. Good. Parkhouse. Goodman. Ramsey. Reed of Dallas. Graves. Griffith. Renfro. Hankamer. Rogers of Hunt. Harman. Russell. Hicks. Savage. Hill of Webb. Shannon. Holland. Tarwater. Holloway. Weinert.

Absent-Excused

Johnson of Dimmit.

The Speaker then laid Senate Bill No. 465 before the House on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas-102

Adamson. Duvall. Aikin. Fain. Alsup. Fisher. Anderson Ford. of Bexar. Fuchs. Anderson Glass. of Johnson. Golson. Barrett. Goodman. Barron. Greathouse. Beck. Harris. Bedford. Harrison. Bourne. Head. Hester. Bradley. Hill of Brazoria. Burns. Calvert. Hodges. Camp. Holekamp. Hoskins. Canon. Huddleston. Caven. Clayton. Hughes. Colson. Hyder. Cowley. James. Crossley. Jefferson. Daniel. Johnson Davidson. of Anderson. Jones of Atascosa. Jones of Runnels. Dean. Devall. Kyle of Hays. Kyle of Palo Pinto. Dunlap. Dunagan.

Rogers

of Ochiltree.

Laird. Rollins. Latham. Ross. Lemens. Scarborough. Lindsey. Scott. Lotief. Shults. Mackay. Smith. Magee. Stanfield. McClain. Steward. McKee. Stinson. Stovall. Merritt. Moffett. Sullivant. Moore. Tennyson. Morrison. Thomas. Tillery. Morse. Townsend. Palmer. Pavlica. Turlington. Pope. Van Zandt. Puryear. Vaughan. Ratliff. Wagstaff. Walker. Ray. Reader. Wells. Reed of Bowie. Winningham. Riddle. Wood. Roberts. Young.

Absent

Jones of Shelby. Alexander. Baker. Kayton. Butler. Leonard. Cathey. Long. Celaya. Mathis. Chastain. McCullough. Coombes. McDougald. Dwyer. McGregor. Engelhard. Metcalfe. Few. Mitcham. Good. Munson. Graves. Nicholson. Griffith. Parkhouse. Haag. Patterson. Hankamer. Ramsey. Reed of Dallas. Harman. Renfro. Hartzog. Rogers of Hunt. Hicks. Hill of Webb. Russell. Holland. Savage. Holloway. Shannon. Hunt. Tarwater. Jackson. Weinert.

Absent-Excused

Johnson of Dimmit.

SENATE BILL NO. 537 ON SECOND READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to third reading,

S. B. No. 537, A bill to be entitled "An Act abolishing the office of District Attorney in the Seventy-seventh Judicial District of Texas; fixing the Huddleston. duties of county attorneys of said Dis- \ Hughes.

trict; fixing their compensation; repealing conflicting laws; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time, and was passed to third reading.

SENATE BILL NO. 537 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Steward moved that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days, be suspended, and that Senate Bill No. 537 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas-101 Adamson. Hyder. Aikin. Jackson. Alsup. James. Anderson Jefferson. of Bexar. Johnson Anderson of Anderson. of Johnson. Jones of Atascosa. Barrett. Jones of Runnels. Barron. Kyle of Hays. Beck. Kyle of Palo Pinto. Bedford. Laird. Lemens. Bourne. Bradley. Lindsey. Burns. Lotief. Calvert. Mackay. McClain. Camp. McKee. Canon. Caven. Merritt. Colson. Mitcham. Cowley. Moffett. Crossley. Moore. Morrison. Daniel. Davidson. Morse. Palmer. Dean. Patterson. Devall. Pavlica. Dunlap. Pope. Dunagan. Puryear. Duvall. Ratliff. Fain. Ray. Fisher. Reed of Bowie. Ford. Riddle. Fuchs.

Glass. Golson. Goodman. Greathouse. Haag. Harris. Harrison. Hartzog. Head.

Hester. Hill of Brazoria. Hodges. Holekamp. Hoskins.

Roberts. Rogers of Ochiltree. Rollins. Ross. Scarborough. Scott. Shults. Smith. Stanfield. Steward. Stinson. Stovall.

Sullivant.

Tennyson. Thomas.

Tillery. Turlington. Van Zandt. Vaughan. Wagstaff.

Walker. Wells. Winningham.

Wood.

Absent

Alexander. Baker. Butler. Cathey. Celaya. Chastain. Clayton. Coombes. Dwyer. Engelhard. Few. Good.

Leonard. Long. Magee. Mathis. McCullough. McDougald. McGregor. Metcalfe. Munson. Nicholson. Parkhouse. Ramsey. Reader.

Graves. Griffith. Hankamer. Harman.

Reed of Dallas. Renfro. Rogers of Hunt.

Hicks. Hill of Webb. Holland. Holloway.

Russell. Savage. Shannon. Tarwater. Townsend.

Hunt. Jones of Shelby. Kayton.

Weinert. Young.

Latham.

Absent—Excused

Johnson of Dimmit.

The Speaker then laid Senate Bill No. 537 before the House on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas-101

Adamson. Aikin. Alexander. Alsup. Anderson of Bexar. Anderson of Johnson. Barrett. Barron. Beck. Bedford. Bourne. Bradley. Burns. Calvert. Camp. Canon. Caven. Chastain. Colson. Cowley. Crossley.

Daniel. Davidson. Dean. Devall. Dunlap. Dunagan. Duvall. Engelhard. Fain. Fisher. Ford. Fuchs. Glass. Golson. Goodman. Greathouse. Haag. Harris. Harrison. Hartzog. Head. Hester.

Hill of Brazoria.

Hodges. Holekamp. Hoskins. Huddleston. Hughes. Hyder. Jackson. James. Jefferson. Johnson of Anderson. Jones of Atascosa. Jones of Runnels. Kyle of Hays. Kyle of Palo Pinto. Stanfield. Laird. Latham. Lemens. Lindsey. Lotief. Mackay. McClain. McDougald. McKee. Moffett. Moore. Morrison. Morse.

Puryear. Ratliff. Ray. Reed of Bowie. Riddle. Roberts. Rogers of Ochiltree. Rollins. Ross. Scarborough. Scott. Shults. Smith. Steward. Stovall. Sullivant. Tennyson. Thomas. Townsend. Turlington. Van Zandt.

Wood.

Absent

Vaughan.

Wagstaff.

Winningham.

Walker.

Wells.

Baker. Butler. Cathey. Celava. Clayton. Coombes. Dwver. Few. Good. Graves. Griffith. Hankamer.

Palmer.

Pavlica.

McCullough. McGregor. Merritt. Metcalfe. Mitcham. Munson. Nicholson. Parkhouse. Patterson. Pope. Ramsey. Reader. Reed of Dallas. Renfro.

Harman. Hicks. Hill of Webb. Holland.

Rogers of Hunt. Russell. Savage. Holloway. Shannon. Hunt.

Jones of Shelby. Kayton. Leonard. Long. Magee.

Mathis.

Stinson. Tarwater. Tillery. Weinert. Young.

Absent—Excused

Johnson of Dimmit.

SENATE BILL NO. 488 ON SECOND READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to third reading.

S. B. No. 488, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Senate Bill No. 54, Chapter 17, pages 262 to 265, inclusive, Acts of the Fourth Called Session of the Thirty-fifth Legislature of Texas, approved March 25, 1918, which said Act was amendatory of Sections 12 and 16 of the Special Road Law for Smith County, Texas, passed at the Regular Session of the Thirty-third Legislature, and known as Chapter 70, of the Special Laws of said Thirty-third Legislature, and which is also amendatory of Section 3, of Chapter 8, of the Special Road Law of Smith County, Texas, passed at the Regular Session of the Thirty-fourth Legislature, and approved February 16, 1915, so as to further provide that each officer and witness shall be allowed to receive one-half his fees, exclusive of commissions, whenever a county convict shall have discharged the fine and costs adjudged against him in full by work, or by work and money; and declaring an emergency.'

The bill was read second time, and was passed to third reading.

SENATE BILL NO. 488 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Magee moved that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days, be suspended, and that Senate Bill No. 488 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas-100

Adamson. Devall. Dunlap. Aikin. Dunagan. Alsup. Anderson Duvall. of Bexar. Fain. Anderson Fisher. of Johnson. Ford. Barrett. Fuchs. Barron. Glass. Beck. Golson. Bedford. Goodman. Greathouse. Bourne. Bradley. Harris. Burns. Harrison. Calvert. Hartzog. Canon. Head. Hester. Caven. Chastain. Hill of Brazoria. Colson. Hodges. Cowley. Holekamp. Crossley. Hoskins. Huddleston. Daniel. Dean. Hughes.

Hyder. Puryear. Jackson. Ratliff. James. Ray. Jefferson. Reed of Bowie. Riddle. Johnson of Anderson. Roberts. Jones of Runnels. Rogers Jones of Shelby. Kyle of Hays. of Ochiltree. Rollins. Kyle of Palo Pinto. Ross. Laird. Scarborough. Latham. Scott. Shults. Lemens. Smith. Lindsey. Stanfield. Lotief. Magee. Steward. Mackay. Stinson. McClain. Stovall. McDougald. Sullivant. Tennyson. Merritt. Mitcham. Thomas. Moffett. Turlington. Morrison. Van Zandt. Morse. Vaughan. Palmer. \mathbf{W} agstaff. Parkhouse. Walker. Patterson. Wells. Winningham. Pavlica. Wood. Pope.

Nays-1

Haag.

Absent

Alexander. Leonard. Baker. Long. Butler. Mathis. Camp. McCullough. Cathey. McGregor. McKee. Celaya. Metcalfe. Clayton. Coombes. Moore. Munson. Davidson. Nicholson. Dwyer. Engelhard. Ramsey. Reader. Few. Reed of Dallas. Good. Graves. Renfro. Rogers of Hunt. Griffith. Russell. Hankamer. Harman. Savage. Shannon. Hicks. Hill of Webb. Tarwater. Tillery. Holland. Townsend. Holloway. Weinert. Hunt. Jones of Atascosa. Young. Kayton.

Absent-Excused

Johnson of Dimmit.

The Speaker then laid Senate Bill No. 488 before the House on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas---106

Jones of Runnels. Adamson. Aikin. Jones of Shelby. Alsup. Kyle of Hays. Anderson Kyle of Palo Pinto. of Bexar. Laird. Anderson Latham. of Johnson. Lemens. Barrett. Lindsey. Barron. Lotief. Beck. Mackay. Bedford. Magee. McClain. Bourne. Bradley. McDougald. Burns. Merritt. Calvert. Mitcham. Camp. Moffett. Canon. Moore. Caven. Morrison. Chastain. Morse. Colson. Palmer. Cowley. Parkhouse. Crossley. Patterson. Daniel. Pavlica. Pope. Davidson. Dean. Puryear. Devall. Ratliff. Dunlap. Ray. Dunagan. Reed of Bowie. Riddle. Duvall. Roberts. Engelhard. Fain. Rogers Fisher. of Ochiltree. Rollins. Ford. Fuchs. Ross. Glass. Scarborough. Golson. Scott. Goodman. Shults. Greathouse. Smith. Haag. Stanfield. Steward. Harris. Harrison. Stinson. Hartzog. Stovall. Head. Sullivant. Hill of Brazoria. Tennyson. Thomas. Hodges. Holekamp. Townsend. Hoskins. Turlington. Huddleston. Van Zandt. Hughes. Vaughan. Wagstaff. Walker. Hyder. Jackson. James. Wells. Jefferson. Winningham. Johnson Wood. of Anderson. Young.

Absent

Alexander. Celaya.
Baker. Clayton.
Butler. Coombes.
Cathey. Dwyer.

Few. McCullough. Good. McGregor. Graves. McKee. Griffith. Metcalfe. Hankamer. Munson. Harman. Nicholson. Hester. Ramsey. Hicks. Reader. Hill of Webb. Reed of Dallas. Holland. Renfro. Holloway. Rogers of Hunt. Hunt. Russell. Jones of Atascosa. Savage. Kayton. Shannon. Leonard. Tarwater. Tillery. Long. Mathis. Weinert.

Absent-Excused

Johnson of Dimmit.

SENATE BILL NO. 388 ON SECOND READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to third reading,

S. B. No. 388, A bill to be entitled "An Act ordering and authorizing the Governor of the State of Texas and the Commissioner of the General Land Office of the State of Texas to convey and quitclaim to the trustees of the Troup Consolidated Independent School District in Smith and Cherokee Counties, Texas, and their successors in office for the use and benefit of said Troup Consolidated Independent School District the now abandoned site, lands, and property of the Troup Experiment Station, located partly in and partly contiguous to the city limits of the town of Troup, in Smith County, Texas, etc."

The bill was read second time, and was passed to third reading.

SENATE BILL NO. 388 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Latham moved that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days, be suspended, and that Senate Bill No. 388 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas-103

Adamson. Anderson
Aikin. of Johnson.
Alexander. Barrett.
Alsup. Beck.
Anderson Bedford.
of Bexar. Bourne.

	
Bradley.	Lemens.
Burns.	Lindsey.
Calvert.	Lotief.
Camp.	Mackay.
Canon.	McClain.
Chastain.	McDougald.
Colson.	Merritt.
Cowley.	Mitcham.
Daniel.	Moffett.
Davidson.	Moore.
Dean.	Morrison.
Devall.	Morse.
Dunlap.	Palmer.
Dunagan.	Parkhouse.
Duvall.	Pavlica.
Engelhard.	Pope.
Fain.	Puryear.
Fisher.	Ratliff.
Ford.	Ray.
Fuchs.	Reed of Bowie.
Glass.	Roberts.
Golson.	Rogers of Hunt.
Goodman.	Rogers
Greathouse.	of Ochiltree.
Haag.	Rollins.
Harrison.	Ross.
Hartzog.	Scarborough.
Head.	Scott.
Hester.	Shults.
Hill of Brazoria.	Smith.
Hodges.	Stanfield.
Holekamp.	Steward.
Hoskins.	Stinson.
Huddleston.	Stovall.
Hughes.	Sullivant.
Hyder.	Tennyson.
Jackson.	Thomas.
James.	Townsend.
Jefferson.	Turlington.
Johnson	Van Zandt.
of Anderson.	
	Vaughan.
Jones of Atascosa.	Wagstaff. Walker.
Jones of Runnels.	Wells.
Jones of Shelby.	
Kyle of Hays. Kyle of Palo Pinto.	Winningham. Wood.
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Laird.	Young.
Latham.	

Absent

Baker. Hicks. Hill of Webb. Barron. Holland. Butler. Holloway. Cathey. Caven. Hunt. Kayton. Celaya. Clayton. Leonard. Coombes. Long. Crossley. Magee. Dwyer. Mathis. Few. McCullough. Good. McGregor. Graves. McKee. Griffith. Metcalfe. Hankamer. Munson. Harman. Nicholson. Harris. Patterson.

Ramsey. Savage. Reader. Shannon. Reed of Dallas. Tarwater. Renfro. Tillery. Riddle. Weinert. Russell.

Absent—Excused

Johnson of Dimmit.

The Speaker then laid Senate Bill No. 388 before the House on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas-101

Adamson. James. Aikin. Jefferson. Alexander. Johnson of Anderson. Alsup. Anderson Jones of Atascosa. of Bexar. Jones of Runnels. Anderson Jones of Shelby. of Johnson. Kyle of Hays. Barrett. Kyle of Palo Pinto. Barron. Laird. Bedford. Latham. Bourne. Lemens. Bradley. Lindsey. Burns. Lotief. Calvert. Magee. Camp. Mackay. Canon. McClain. McDougald. Chastain. Mitcham. Colson. Cowley. Moffett. Daniel. Moore. Davidson. Morrison. Dean. Morse. Palmer. Devall. Dunagan. Parkhouse. Duvall. Pavlica. Engelhard. Pope. Fain. Puryear. Fisher. Ratliff. Ray. Reed of Bowie. Ford. Fuchs. Glass. Riddle. Roberts. Golson. Goodman. Rogers of Ochiltree. Greathouse.

Haag. Rollins. Ross. Hankamer. Harris. Scarborough. Hartzog. Scott. Head. Shults. Smith. Hester.

Stanfield. Hill of Brazoria. Steward. Hodges. Holekamp. Stinson. Stovall. Hoskins. Huddleston. Sullivant. Tennyson. Hughes. Thomas. l Hyder.

Wells. Turlington. Winningham. Van Zandt. Wood. Vaughan. Wagstaff. Young. Walker.

Absent

Baker. Leonard. Beck. Long. Butler. Mathis. Cathey. McCullough. Caven. McGregor. McKee. Celaya. Clayton. Merritt. Metcalfe. Coombes. Crossley. Munson. Nicholson. Dunlap. Dwyer. Patterson. Few. Ramsey. Reader. Good. Graves. Reed of Dallas. Griffith. Renfro. Harman. Rogers of Hunt. Russell. Harrison. Hicks. Savage. Hill of Webb. Shannon. Holland. Tarwater. Holloway. Tillery. Hunt. Townsend. Weinert. Jackson. Kayton.

Absent-Excused

Johnson of Dimmit.

SENATE BILL NO. 268 ON SECOND READING

(By Unanimous Consent)

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to third reading,

S. B. No. 268, A bill to be entitled "An Act making an appropriation to pay taxes due by the State of Texas to Bowie County, Texas, for the years 1928 to 1932, inclusive, on lands owned by the Texas Prison System; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time, and was passed to third reading.

SENATE BILL NO. 268 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Daniel moved that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days, be suspended, and that Senate Bill No. 268 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the follow-

ing vote:

Yeas—103

Adamson. Aikin. Alexander. Alsup. Anderson of Bexar. Anderson of Johnson. Barrett. Barron. Beck. Bedford. Bourne. Bradley. Burns. Calvert. Camp. Canon. Caven. Chastain. Colson. Coombes. Cowley. Daniel. Davidson. Dean. Devall. Dunlap. Dunagan. Duvall. Dwyer. Engelhard. Fain. Fisher. Ford. Fuchs. Glass. Golson. Goodman. Greathouse. Hankamer. Harman. Harris. Harrison. Hartzog. Hester. Hill of Brazoria. Hodges. Holekamp. Hoskins. Huddleston. Hughes. Hyder. Jackson. James.

Johnson of Anderson. Jones of Atascosa. Jones of Runnels. Jones of Shelby. Kyle of Hays. Kyle of Palo Pinto. Laird. Latham. Lemens. Lotief. Mackay. McClain. Merritt. Mitcham. Moffett. Moore. Morrison. Morse. Palmer. Patterson. Pavlica. Puryear. Ratliff. Ray. Reed of Bowie. Riddle. Roberts. Rogers of Ochiltree. Rollins. Ross. Scarborough. Scott. Shults. Smith. Stanfield. Steward.

Absent

Stinson.

Stovall. Sullivant.

Tennyson.

Turlington.

Van Zandt.

Winningham.

Wagstaff. Walker.

Wells.

Wood.

Young.

Thomas.

Tillery.

Hill of Webb. Baker. Butler. Holland. Cathey. Holloway. Celaya. Hunt. Jefferson. Clayton. Crossley. Kayton. Few. Leonard. Good. Lindsey. Long. Graves. Griffith. Magee. Mathis. Haag. McCullough. Head. Hicks. McDougald.

McGregor. Renfro. Rogers of Hunt. McKee. Metcalfe. Russell. Munson. Savage. Nicholson. Shannon. Parkhouse. Tarwater. Pope. Townsend. Ramsey. Vaughan. Reader. Weinert. Reed of Dallas.

Absent-Excused

Johnson of Dimmit.

The Speaker then laid Senate Bill No. 268 before the House on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas-103

Hill of Webb. Adamson. Hodges. Aikin. Holekamp. Alexander. Hoskins. Alsup. Huddleston. Anderson of Bexar. Hughes. Anderson Hyder. of Johnson. Jackson. Barrett. James. Johnson Barron. of Anderson. Beck. Bourne. Jones of Atascosa. Jones of Runnels. Bradley. Jones of Shelby. Burns. Kyle of Hays. Calvert. Kyle of Palo Pinto. Camp. Canon. Laird. Latham. Caven. Lemens. Chastain. Colson. Lotief. Mackay. Cowley. Magee. Crossley. McClain. Daniel. Davidson. Merritt. Dean. Mitcham. Moffett. Devall. Moore. Dunagan. Morrison. Duvall. Dwyer. Morse. Fain. Palmer. Fisher. Patterson. Pavlica. Ford. Pope. Glass. Golson. Puryear. Ratliff. Goodman. Greathouse. Ray. Reed of Bowie. Haag. Riddle. Hankamer. Harman. Roberts. Harris. Rogers of Ochiltree. Hartzog.

Rollins.

Ross.

Hester.

Hill of Brazoria.

Scarborough. Thomas. Tillery. Scott. Shults. Turlington. Smith. Van Zandt. Stanfield. Wagstaff. Walker. Steward. Stinson. Wells. Winningham. Stovall. Sullivant. Wood. Young. Tarwater. Tennyson.

Nays-2

Absent

Parkhouse.

Vaughan.

Baker. Leonard. Bedford. Lindsey. Long. Butler. Mathis. Cathey. McCullough. Celaya. Clayton. McDougald. Coombes. McGregor. Dunlap. McKee. Engelhard. Metcalfe. Few. Munson. Fuchs. Nicholson. Good. Ramsev. Graves. Reader. Reed of Dallas. Griffith. Renfro. Harrison.

Head. Rogers of Hunt. Hicks. Russell. Savage. Holloway. Shannon. Hunt. Townsend. Jefferson. Weinert. Kayton.

Absent—Excused

Johnson of Dimmit.

SENATE BILL NO. 234 ON SECOND READING

(By Unanimous Consent)

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to third reading,

S. B. No. 234, A bill to be entitled "An Act making an appropriation to be paid out of the General Revenue Fund of the State of Texas the sum of twelve thousand and twelve dollars and seventy-nine cents (\$12,012.79), not otherwise appropriated, to cover taxes due by the State of Texas to Fort Bend County, covering the years 1929 to 1932, inclusive; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time, and was passed to third reading.

SENATE BILL NO. 234 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Harrison moved that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days, be suspended, and that Senate Bill No. 234 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas-104

Adamson. Johnson of Anderson. Aikin. Alexander. Jones of Atascosa. Jones of Runnels. Alsub. Anderson Jones of Shelby. of Bexar. Kyle of Hays. Anderson Kyle of Palo Pinto. of Johnson. Laird. Barrett. Lemens. Barron. Lindsey. Bedford. Lotief. Bourne. Mackay. Bradley. Magee. Burns. McClain. Calvert. Merritt. Mitcham. Camp. Canon. Moffett. Caven. Moore. Chastain. Morrison. Colson. Morse. Cowley. Palmer. Crossley. Patterson. Daniel. Pavlica. Davidson. Pope. Dean. Puryear. Devall. Ratliff. Ray. Reed of Bowie. Dunlap. Dunagan. Duvall. Riddle. Dwyer. Roberts. Engelhard. Rogers of Ochiltree. Ford. Fuchs. Rollins. Glass. Ross. Scarborough. Golson. Good. Scott. Goodman. Shults. Greathouse. Smith. Haag. Stanfield. Hankamer. Steward. Harman. Stinson. Harris. Stovall. Harrison. Sullivant. Hartzog. Tarwater. Hill of Brazoria. Tennyson. Hodges. Thomas. Holekamp. Tillery. Hoskins. Turlington. Huddleston. Van Zandt. Hughes. Wagstaff. Walker. Hyder. James. Wells.

Winningham.

Jefferson.

Wood. Young.

Nays—3

Fain. Vaughan. Parkhouse.

Absent

Baker. Leonard. Beck. Long. Butler. Mathis. Cathey. McCullough. Celaya. McDougald. Clayton. McGregor. Coombes. McKee. Few. Metcalfe. Fisher. Munson. Graves. Nicholson. Griffith. Ramsey. Head. Reader. Hester. Reed of Dallas. Hicks. Hill of Webb. Renfro. Rogers of Hunt. Holland. Russell. Holloway. Savage. Hunt. Shannon. Jackson. Townsend.

Absent-Excused

Weinert.

Johnson of Dimmit.

Kayton.

Latham.

The Speaker then laid Senate Bill No. 234 before the House on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas-102

Davidson. Adamson. Aikin. Dean. Alexander. Devall. Dunlap. Alsup. Anderson Duvall. of Bexar. Dwyer. Engelhard. Anderson of Johnson. Fain. Barrett. Fuchs. Barron. Glass. Bedford. Golson. Good. Bourne. Goodman. Bradley. Greathouse. Burns. Calvert. Haag. Hankamer. Camp. Canon. Harman. Caven. Harris. Chastain. Harrison. Hartzog. Colson. Hill of Brazoria. Coombes. Hodges. Cowley. Crossley. Holekamp. Daniel. Hoskins.

Huddleston. Ray. Reed of Bowie. Hughes. Riddle. Hyder. James. Roberts. Jefferson. Rogers Johnson of Ochiltree. Rollins. of Anderson. Jones of Atascosa. Ross. Jones of Runnels. Scarb Jones of Shelby. Scott Scarborough. Scott. Kyle of Hays. Shults. Kyle of Palo Pinto. Smith. Stanfield. Laird. Steward. Lemens. Lindsey. Stinson. Mackay. Stovall. Sullivant. McClain. Tarwater. Merritt. Tennyson. Mitcham. Thomas. Moffett. Tillery. Moore. Turlington. Morrison. Van Zandt. Morse. Wagstaff. Walker. Palmer. Patterson. Wells. Pavlica. Winningham. Pope. Wood. Puryear. Ratliff. Young.

Nays-3

Fisher. Parkhouse. Vaughan.

Present—Not Voting

Lotief.

Absent

Baker. Leonard. Beck. Long. Butler. Magee. Cathey. Mathis. McCullough. Celaya. McDougald. Clayton. Dunagan. McGregor. McKee. Few. Ford. Metcalfe. Munson. Graves. Nicholson. Griffith. Head. Ramsey. Hester. Reader. Reed of Dallas. Hicks. Hill of Webb. Renfro. Rogers of Hunt. Holland. Holloway. Russell. Hunt. Savage. Jackson. Shannon. Townsend. Kayton. Latham. Weinert.

Absent-Excused

Johnson of Dimmit.

SENATE BILL NO. 529 ON SECOND READING

(By Unanimous Consent)

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to third reading,

S. B. No. 529, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Section 1, of Chapter 114, of the Local and Special Laws of the State of Texas, passed by the Thirty-ninth Legislature, at its Regular Session, and providing for the validating of assessments of taxes heretofore levied and assessed on territory within the boundaries of the Markham Independent School District, in Matagorda County, Texas, as set out in the original bill; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time, and

was passed to third reading.

SENATE BILL NO. 529 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Hill of Brazoria moved that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days, be suspended, and that Senate Bill No. 529 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the follow-

ing vote:

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Yeas-105

Fain. Adamson. Alexander. Fisher. Ford. Alsup. Fuchs. Anderson Glass. of Johnson. Barrett. Golson. Good. Barron. Goodman. Beck. Greathouse. Bedford. Hankamer. Bourne. Harman. Bradley. Harris. Burns. Calvert. Harrison. Hartzog. Camp. Hill of Brazoria. Canon. Hodges. Cathey. Holekamp. Caven. Hoskins. Chastain. Huddleston. Colson. Cowley. Hughes. Hyder. Daniel. James. Davidson. Jefferson. Dean. Johnson Devall. of Anderson. Dunlap. Jones of Atascosa. Dunagan. Jones of Runnels. Duvall. Jones of Shelby. Dwyer.

Kayton.

Kyle of Hays.	Rogers
Kyle of Palo Pinto.	of Ochiltree.
Laird.	Rollins.
Latham.	Ross.
Lotief.	Scarborough.
Magee.	Scott.
Mackay.	Shults.
McClain.	Smith.
McDougald.	Stanfield.
Merritt.	Steward.
Mitcham.	Stinson.
Moffett.	Stovall.
Moore.	Sullivant.
Morrison.	Tarwater.
Morse.	Tennyson.
Palmer.	Thomas.
Parkhouse.	Tillery.
Patterson.	Turlington.
Pavlica.	Van Zandt.
Pope.	Vaughan.
Ratliff.	Wagstaff.
Ray.	Walker.
Reed of Bowie.	Wells.
Riddle.	Winningham.
Roberts.	Wood.
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Nays—2

Lindsey.

Puryear.

Absent

Aikin. Lemens. Anderson Leonard. of Bexar. Long. Baker. Mathis. Butler. McCullough. McGregor. Celaya. Clayton. McKee. Coombes. Metcalfe. Crossley. Munson. Few. Nicholson. Graves. Ramsey. Griffith. Reader. Haag. Reed of Dallas. Renfro. Head. Hester. Rogers of Hunt. Hicks. Russell. Hill of Webb. Savage. Holland. Shannon. Holloway. Townsend. Hunt. Weinert. Young. Jackson.

Absent-Excused

Johnson of Dimmit.

The Speaker then laid Senate Bill No. 529 before the House on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas-100

Adamson. Aikin. Alexander. Alsup.

Anderson Jones of Runnels. of Bexar. Jones of Shelby. Anderson Kyle of Hays. of Johnson. Kyle of Palo Pinto. Barrett. Laird. Barron. Latham. Bedford. Lemens. Bourne. Lotief. Bradley. Mackay. Burns. McClain. Calvert. McDougald. Camp. Merritt. Canon. Mitcham. Cathey. Moffett. Caven. Moore. Chastain. Morrison. Colson. Morse. Cowley. Palmer. Daniel. Parkhouse. Davidson. Patterson. Dean. Pavlica. Devall. Pope. Ratliff. Dunlap. Dunagan. Ray. Reed of Bowie. Duvall. Engelhard. Riddle. Fain. Roberts. Ford. Rogers of Ochiltree. Fuchs. Rollins. Glass. Good. Ross. Goodman. Scarborough. Greathouse. Scott. Haag. Shults. Hankamer. Smith. Harman. Stanfield. Harris. Steward. Stinson. Harrison. Stovall. Hartzog. Hill of Brazoria. Sullivant. Hodges. Tarwater. Holekamp. Thomas. Townsend. Hoskins. Huddleston. Turlington. Van Zandt. Hughes. Hyder. Vaughan. Wagstaff. Walker. James. Johnson Winningham. of Anderson. Jones of Atascosa. Wood.

Nays-3

Fisher. Lindsey.

Puryear.

Absent

Baker. Graves. Griffith. Beck. Head. Butler. Hester. Celaya. Clayton. Hicks. Hill of Webb. Coombes. Crossley. Holland. Holloway. Dwyer. Few. Hunt. Golson. Jackson.

Jefferson. Reader. Kayton. Reed of Dallas. Leonard. Renfro. Long. Rogers of Hunt. Magee. Russell. Mathis. Savage. McCullough. Shannon. McGregor. Tennyson. McKee. Tillery. Metcalfe. Weinert. Wells. Munson. Young. Nicholson. Ramsey.

Absent-Excused

Johnson of Dimmit.

SENATE BILL NO. 265 ON SECOND READING

(By Unanimous Consent)

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to

third reading,

S. B. No. 265, A bill to be entitled "An Act making an appropriation to be paid out of the General Revenue Fund of the State of Texas, the sum of eleven hundred and seventy dollars and twenty cents (\$1,170.20), not otherwise appropriated, to cover taxes due by the State of Texas to the Brazoria Independent School District, covering the years from 1929 to 1932; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time, and

was passed to third reading.

SENATE BILL NO. 265 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Hill of Brazoria moved that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days, be suspended, and that Senate Bill No. 265 be placed on its third reading and final passage,

The motion prevailed by the follow-

ing vote:

Yeas-101

Calvert. Adamson. Aikin. Camp. Alexander. Canon. Alsup. Cathey. Anderson Caven. of Bexar. Chastain. Colson. Anderson of Johnson. Coombes. Barrett. Cowley. Barron. Daniel. Davidson. Beck. Bedford. Dean. Devall. Bourne. Dunlap. Bradley. Dunagan. Burns.

Duvall. Mackay. Engelhard. McDougald. Fain. Mitcham. Ford. Moffett. Fuchs. Morrison. Morse. Glass. Golson. Palmer. Good. Pavlica. Goodman. Pope. Greathouse. Puryear. Hankamer. Ratliff. Harman. Ray. Harris. Reed of Bowie. Harrison. Riddle. Hartzog. Roberts. Hill of Brazoria. Hill of Webb. Rogers of Ochiltree. Rollins. Hodges. Ross. Holekamp. Hoskins. Scarborough. Huddleston. Scott. Hughes. Shults. Hyder. Smith. James. Stanfield. Jefferson. Steward. Johnson Stinson. of Anderson. Stovall. Jones of Atascosa. Sullivant. Jones of Runnels. Tarwater. Jones of Shelby. Thomas. Kyle of Hays. Townsend. Kyle of Palo Pinto. Turlington. Laird. Van Zandt. Latham. Wagstaff. Walker. Lemens. Winningham. Lindsey. Lotief. Wood. Magee.

Nays-4

Fisher. Parkhouse. Merritt. Vaughan.

Absent

Baker. McCullough. Butler. McGregor. Celaya. McKee. Clayton. Metcalfe. Crossley. Moore. Dwyer. Munson. Nicholson. Few. Patterson. Graves. Griffith. Ramsey. Haag. Reader. Head. Reed of Dallas. Hester. Renfro. Hicks. Rogers of Hunt. Holland. Russell. Holloway. Savage. Shannon. Hunt. Tennyson. Jackson. Kayton. Tillery. Leonard. Weinert. Wells. Long. Mathis. Young.

l McClain.

Absent-Excused

Johnson of Dimmit.

The Speaker then laid Senate Bill No. 265 before the House on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas-102

Jefferson. Adamson. Aikin. Johnson Alexander. of Anderson. Alsup. Jones of Atascosa. Anderson Jones of Runnels. Jones of Shelby. of Bexar. Anderson Kyle of Hays. of Johnson. Kyle of Palo Pinto. Barrett. Laird. Barron. Latham. Lemens. Bedford. Lindsey. Bourne. Bradley. Magee. Burns. Mackay. Calvert. McDougald. Canon. Mitcham. Cathey. Moffett. Moore. Caven. Morrison. Chastain. Colson. Morse. Palmer. Coombes. Patterson. Cowley. Crosslev. Pope. Puryear. Daniel. Ratliff. Dean. Ray. Reed of Rowie. Devall. Dunlap. Riddle. Dunagan. Duvall. Roberts. Rogers Dwyer. of Ochiltree. Engelhard. Rollins. Fain. Ford. Ross. Fuchs. Scarborough. Glass. Scott. Shults. Golson. Good. Smith. Goodman. Steward. Greathouse. Stinson. Stovall. Hankamer. Harman. Sullivant. Harris. Tarwater. Harrison. Tennyson. Hartzog. Thomas. Townsend. Hill of Brazoria. Hodges. Turlington. Holekamp. Van Zandt. Hoskins. Wagstaff. Huddleston. Walker. Hughes. Wells. Hyder. Winningham.

Wood.

Young.

Jackson.

James.

Nays-4

Fisher. Parkhouse. Stanfield. Vaughan.

Present-Not Voting

Lotief.

Merritt.

Absent

Long. Baker. Mathis. Beck. Butler. McClain. McCullough. Camp. Celava. McGregor. Clayton. McKee. Metcalfe. Davidson. Few. Munson. Graves. Nicholson. Griffith. Pavlica. Haag Ramsey. Head. Reader. Reed of Dallas. Hester. Hicks. Renfro. Hill of Webb. Rogers of Hunt. Holland. Russell. Holloway. Savage. Hunt. Shannon.

Absent—Excused

Tillery.

Weinert.

Johnson of Dimmit.

Kayton.

Leonard.

SENATE BILL NO. 287 ON SECOND READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to third reading,

S. B. No. 287, A bill to be entitled "An Act making an appropriation to be paid out of the General Revenue Fund of the State of Texas, the sum of one thousand, three hundred and thirty-two dollars and forty-two cents (\$1,332.42), not otherwise appropriated, to cover taxes due by the State of Texas to Freeport Independent School District, covering the years, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time, and was passed to third reading.

SENATE BILL NO. 287 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Hill of Brazoria moved that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days, be suspended, and that Senate Bill No. 287 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion	prevailed	by	the	follow-
ing vote:	_	•		

Yeas-96

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Adamson.	Johnson		
Aikin.	of Anderson.		
Alexander.	Jones of Atascosa.		
Alsup.	Jones of Runnels.		
Anderson	Jones of Shelby.		
of Bexar.	Kyle of Hays.		
Barrett.	Kyle of Palo Pinto.		
Barron.	Laird.		
Bedford.	Latham.		
Bourne.	Lindsey.		
Bradley.	Lotief.		
Burns.	Mackay.		
Calvert.	McClain.		
Canon.	McDougald.		
Caven.	Mitcham.		
Chastain,	Moffett.		
Colson.	Moore.		
Coombes.	Morrison.		
Cowley.	Morse.		
Crossley.	Palmer.		
Daniel.	Patterson.		
Davidson.	Pope.		
Dean.	Puryear.		
Devall.	Ratliff.		
Dunagan.	Reed of Bowie.		
Duvall.	Riddle.		
Engelhard.	Roberts.		
Fain.	Rogers		
Ford.	of Ochiltree.		
Fuchs.	Rollins.		
Glass.	Ross.		
Golson.	Scarborough.		
Good.	Scott.		
Goodman.	Shults.		
Greathouse.	Smith.		
Hankamer.	Steward.		
Harman.	Stovall.		
Harris.	Sullivant.		
Harrison.	Tarwater.		
Hartzog.	Thomas.		
Hill of Brazoria.	Townsend.		
Hodges.	Turlington.		
Holekamp.	Van Zandt.		
Hoskins.	Wagstaff.		
Huddleston.	Walker.		
Hughes.	Wells.		
Hyder.	Winningham.		
Jackson.	Wood.		
Taman	Voung		

Nays—5

Young.

Fisher.	Stanfield.
Parkhouse.	Vaughan.
Ray.	

Present-Not Voting

Merritt.

James.

Jefferson.

Absent

Anderson of Johnson.	Beck. Butler.
Baker.	Camp.

Cathey. Celaya. Clayton. Dunlap. Dwyer. Few. Graves. Griffith. Haag. Head. Hester. Hicks. Hill of Webb. Holland.	Mathis. McCullough. McGregor. McKee. Metcalfe. Munson. Nicholson. Pavlica. Ramsey. Reader. Reed of Dallas. Renfro. Rogers of Hunt.
Griffith. Haag. Head. Hester. Hicks. Hill of Webb.	Pavlica. Ramsey. Reader. Reed of Dallas. Renfro. Rogers of Hunt.

Absent—Excused

Johnson of Dimmit.

The Speaker then laid Senate Bill No. 287 before the House on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

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Y	eas-100
Adamson.	Glass.
Aikin.	Golson.
Alexander.	Good.
Alsup.	Goodman.
Anderson	Greathouse.
of Bexar.	Hankamer.
Anderson	Harman.
of Johnson.	Harris.
Barrett.	Harrison.
Barron.	Hartzog.
Bedford.	Head.
Bourne.	Hill of Brazoria.
Bradley.	Hodges.
Burns.	Holekamp.
Calvert.	Hoskins.
Canon.	Huddleston.
Caven.	Hughes.
Chastain.	Hyder.
Colson.	Jackson.
Coombes.	James.
Cowley.	Jefferson.
Crossley.	Johnson
Daniel.	of Anderson.
Davidson.	Jones of Atascosa.
Devall.	Jones of Runnels.
Dunlap.	Jones of Shelby.
Dunagan.	Kyle of Hays.
Duvall.	Kyle of Palo Pinto
Dwyer.	Laird.
Engelhard.	Latham.
Fain.	Lemens.
Ford.	Lindsey.
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Lotief.

Fuchs.

Mackay. Scarborough. McClain. Scott. McDougald. Shults. Smith. Mitcham. Moffett. Steward. Moore. Stinson. Morrison. Stovall. Morse. Sullivant. Palmer. Tarwater. Patterson. Tennyson. Pavlica. Thomas. Pope. Townsend. Puryear. Turlington. Riddle. Van Zandt. Roberts. Wagstaff. Walker. Rogers of Ochiltree. Wells. Rollins. Winningham. Ross. Wood.

Nays-8

Dean. Fisher. Parkhouse. Ratliff.

Ray. Reed of Bowie. Stanfield. Vaughan.

Present-Not Voting

Merritt.

Absent

Baker. Magee. Beck. Mathis. Butler. McCullough. Camp. McGregor. McKee. Cathey. Celaya. Metcalfe. Clayton. Munson. Few. Nicholson. Graves. Ramsey. Griffith. Reader. Reed of Dallas. Haag. Hester. Renfro. Rogers of Hunt. Hicks. Hill of Webb. Russell. Holland. Savage. Holloway. Shannon. Hunt. Tillery. Kayton. Weinert. Leonard. Young. Long.

Absent—Excused

Johnson of Dimmit.

SENATE BILL NO. 533 ON SECOND READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to third reading,

S. B. No. 533, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Subsection 5, of Hodges. Section 12, of House Bill No. 3, passed | Holekamp. at the Regular Session of the Forty- Hoskins.

third Legislature; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time, and was passed to third reading.

SENATE BILL NO. 533 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Patterson moved that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days, be suspended, and that Senate Bill No. 533 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas-102 Adamson. Huddleston. Aikin. Hughes. Alexander. Hyder. Alsup. Jackson. Anderson James. of Bexar. Jefferson. Anderson Johnson of Johnson. of Anderson. Jones of Atascosa. Jones of Runnels. Barrett. Barron. Jones of Shelby. Bedford. Kyle of Hays. Bourne. Bradley. Kyle of Palo Pinto. Burns. Laird. Calvert. Latham. Canon. Lemens. Caven. Lindsey. Chastain. Lotief. Colson. Magee. Coombes. Mackay. Cowley. Merritt. Mitcham. Crossley. Daniel. Мооге. Davidson. Morrison. Dean. Morse. Devall. Palmer. Dunlap. Patterson. Dunagan. Pavlica. Puryear. Engelhard. Fain. Ratliff. Ray. Fisher. Reed of Bowie. Ford. Fuchs. Riddle. Glass. Roberts. Golson. Rogers Good. of Ochiltree. Rollins. Goodman. Greathouse. Ross. Hankamer. Scarborough. Harman. Scott. Shults. Harris. Harrison. Smith.

Stanfield.

Steward.

Stinson.

Stovall.

Sullivant. Tarwater.

Hartzog.

Hill of Brazoria.

Head.

Thomas.
Townsend.
Turlington.
Van Zandt.
Vaughan.

Wagstaff. Walker. Wells. Winningham. Wood.

Absent

Baker. McClain. McCullough. Beck. Butler. McDougald. McGregor. Camp. Cathey. McKee. Metcalfe. Celava. Moffett. Clayton. Munson. Duvall. Nicholson. Dwyer. Parkhouse. Few. Pope. Graves. Griffith. Ramsev. Haag. Reader. Reed of Dallas. Hester. Renfro. Hicks. Hill of Webb. Rogers of Hunt. Russell. Holland. Holloway. Savage. Shannon. Hunt. Kayton. Tennyson. Leonard. Tillery. Weinert. Long. Mathis. Young.

Absent—Excused

Johnson of Dimmit.

The Speaker then laid Senate Bill No. 533 before the House on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas-107

Davidson. Adamson. Dean. Aikin. Devall. Alexander. Dunlap. Alsup. Anderson Dunagan. Duvall. of Bexar. Anderson Dwyer. Engelhard. of Johnson. Barrett. Fain. Barron. Fisher. Ford. Bedford. Fuchs. Bourne. Glass. Bradley. Golson. Burns. Good. Calvert. Goodman. Camp. Canon. Greathouse. Hankamer. Caven. Harman. Chastain. Harris. Colson. Coombes. Harrison. Cowley. Hartzog. Crossley. Head. Hill of Brazoria. Daniel.

Hodges. Pavlica. Holekamp. Puryear. Ratliff. Hoskins. Ray. Huddleston. Reed of Bowie. Hughes. Hyder. Riddle. Jackson. Rogers of Ochiltree. James. Rollins. Jefferson. Ross. of Anderson.

Johnson Scarborough. Jones of Atascosa. Scott. Jones of Runnels. Shults. Jones of Shelby. Smith. Kyle of Hays. Stanfield. Kyle of Palo Pinto. Steward. Laird. Stinson. Latham. Stovall. Sullivant. Lemens. Tarwater. Lindsey. Thomas. Lotief. Magee. Townsend. Turlington. Mackay. Merritt. Van Zandt. Mitcham. Vaughan. Moffett. Wagstaff. Walker. Moore. Wells. Morrison. Winningham. Morse. Palmer. Wood.

Absent

Parkhouse. Patterson. Young.

Baker. McCullough. McDougald. Beck. McGregor. Butler. McKee. Cathey. Metcalfe. Celaya. Munson. Clayton. Few. Nicholson. Graves. Pope. Ramsev. Griffith. Reader. Haag. Hester. Roberts. Reed of Dallas. Hicks. Hill of Webb. Renfro. Rogers of Hunt. Holland. Russell. Holloway. Savage. Hunt. Shannon. Kayton. Leonard. Tennyson. Tillery. Long. Mathis. Weinert. McClain.

Absent—Excused

Johnson of Dimmit.

RECESS

Mr. Hankamer moved that the House recess to 7:45 o'clock p. m., today.

Yeas and nays were demanded, and the motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas-75

Jones of Runnels. Adamson. Jones of Shelby. Kyle of Hays. Kyle of Palo Pinto. Aikin. Alexander. Alsup. Anderson Laird. of Bexar. Latham. Barron. Lemens. Bedford. Lindsey. Bourne. Lotief. Bradley. Magee. Burns. Mackay. Calvert. Merritt. Canon. Mitcham. Chastain. Moore. Colson. Morse. Coombes. Palmer. Crossley. Ratliff. Davidson. Reed of Bowie. Riddle. Dean. Devall. Roberts. Dunagan. Rogers of Ochiltree. Duvall. Rollins. Dwyer. Fain. Ross. Ford. Scott. Fuchs. Shults. Steward. Glass. Good. Stinson. Goodman. Stovall. Hankamer. Tennyson. Thomas. Harman. Harris. Tillery. Hartzog. Hill of Brazoria. Townsend. Van Zandt. Wagstaff. Walker. Hodges. Holekamp.

Nays-26

Winningham.

Wood.

Anderson McDougald. Moffett. of Johnson. Barrett. Morrison. Caven. Parkhouse. Pavlica. Cowley. Engelhard. Pope. Fisher. Ray. Golson. Smith. Harrison. Stanfield. Head. Sullivant. Hyder. Turlington. James. Vaughan. Jefferson. Wells. Johnson of Anderson.

Hoskins. Hughes.

Jackson.

Absent

Baker.	Daniel.
Beck.	Dunlap.
Butler.	Few.
Camp.	Graves.
Cathey.	Greathouse.
Celaya.	Griffith.
Clayton.	Haag.

Hester. Hicks. Hill of Webb. Holland. Holloway. Huddleston. Hunt. Jones of Atascosa. Kayton. Leonard. Long. Mathis. McClain.	Munson. Nicholson. Patterson. Puryear. Ramsey. Reader. Reed of Dallas. Renfro. Rogers of Hunt. Russell. Savage. Scarborough. Shannon.
Long.	Savage.

Absent-Excused

Johnson of Dimmit.

The House, accordingly, at 6 o'clock p. m., took recess to 7:45 o'clock p. m., today.

NIGHT SESSION

The House met at 7:45 o'clock p. m., and was called to order by the Speaker.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE GRANTED

Mr. Fisher was granted leave of absence for tonight on account of illness in his family, on motion of Mr. Parkhouse.

Mr. Aikin moved a call of the House for the purpose of maintaining a quorum, and the call was duly ordered.

The Speaker then directed the Doorkeeper to close the main entrance to the Hall, and instructed the Sergeant-at-Arms to lock all other doors leading from the Hall, and stated that no Member would be permitted to leave the Hall without written permission from the Speaker.

On motion of Mr. Aikin, the Sergeant-at-Arms was instructed to bring in all absent Members within the city who are not ill.

The roll was called, and the following Members were present:

Mr. Speaker.	Calvert.
Adamson.	Canon.
Aikin.	Chastain.
Alexander.	Coombes
Alsup.	Cowley.
Beck.	Fain.
Beck. Bourne.	Golson.

Parkhouse.

Goodman. Puryear. Ratliff. Griffith. Ray. Hankamer. Reed of Bowie. Harman. Roberts. Hodges. Rollins. James. Ross. Jefferson. Jones of Atascosa. Steward. Jones of Runnels. Stinson. Sullivant. Jones of Shelby. Kyle of Palo Pinto. Tarwater. Tillery. Lindsey. Townsend. Magee. Wagstaff. Mackay. Walker. Merritt. Winningham. Mitcham. Nicholson. Young.

Absent

Hoskins. Anderson Huddleston. of Bexar. Hughes. Anderson Hunt. of Johnson. Hyder. Baker. Jackson. Barrett. Johnson Barron. Bedford. of Anderson. Bradley. Kayton. Kyle of Hays. Burns. Butler. Laird. Latham. Camp. Lemens. Cathey. Leonard. Caven. Long. Celaya. Lotief. Clayton. Mathis. Colson. McClain. Crossley. Daniel. McCullough. McDougald. Davidson. McGregor. Dean. McKee. Devail. Metcalfe. Dunlap. Moffett. Dunagan. Moore. Duvall. Morrison. Dwyer. Morse. Engelhard. Munson. Few. Palmer. Fisher. Patterson. Ford. Pavlica. Fuchs. Pope. Glass. Ramsey. Good. Reader. Graves. Reed of Dallas. Greathouse. Renfro. Haag. Riddle. Harris. Rogers of Hunt. Harrison. Rogers Hartzog. of Ochiltree. Head. Russell. Hester. Savage. Hicks.

Hill of Brazoria.

Hill of Webb.

Holekamp.

Holland.

Holloway.

Scarborough.

Scott. Shannon.

Shults.

Smith.

Stanfield. Van Zandt.
Stovall. Vaughan.
Tennyson. Weinert.
Thomas. Wells.
Turlington. Wood.

Absent—Excused

Johnson of Dimmit.

The Speaker announced that there was not a quorum present.

The roll was again called, and the following Members were present:

Leonard. Mr. Speaker. Adamson. Lindsey. Aikin. Magee. Alexander. Mackay. Merritt. Alsup. Mitcham. Barron. Morrison. Beck. Bedford. Nicholson. Parkhouse. Bourne. Puryear. Burns. Ratliff. Calvert. Ray. Canon. Chastain. Reader. Reed of Bowie. Coombes. Reed of Dallas. Cowley. Roberts. Crossley. Dean. Rogers of Ochiltree. Devall. Rollins. Engelhard. Ross. Fain. Russell. Glass. Good. Scott. Goodman. Shannon. Griffith. Shults. Hankamer. Smith. Steward. Harman. Stinson. Harris. Stovall. Hartzog Hill of Brazoria. Sullivant. Tarwater. Hodges. Tennyson. Holland. Thomas. Hoskins. Huddleston. Tillery. Townsend. Jackson. Turlington. James. Van Zandt. Jefferson. Jones of Atascosa. Wagstaff. Walker. Jones of Runnels. Winningham. Jones of Shelby. Kyle of Palo Pinto. Young. Latham.

Absent

Anderson	Butler.
of Bexar.	Camp.
Anderson	Cathey.
of Johnson.	Caven.
Baker.	Celaya.
Barrett.	Clayton.
Bradley.	Colson.

Daniel. Lemens. Davidson. Long. Lotief. Dunlap. Mathis. Dunagan. Duvall. McClain. Dwyer. McCullough. McDougald. Few. Fisher. McGregor. Ford. McKee. Fuchs. Metcalfe. Golson. Moffett. Graves. Moore. Greathouse. Morse. Haag. Munson. Harrison. Palmer. Head. Patterson. Hester. Pavlica. Hicks. Pope. Hill of Webb. Ramsey. Holekamp. Rentro. Holloway. Riddle. Hughes. Rogers of Hunt. Hunt. Savage. Hyder. Scarborough. Johnson Stanfield. of Anderson. Vaughan. Weinert. Kayton. Kyle of Hays. Wells. Laird. Wood.

Absent—Excused

Johnson of Dimmit.

The Speaker announced that there was not a quorum present.

The roll was again called, and the following Members were present:

Mr. Speaker. Harman. Adamson. Harris. Hartzog. Aikin. Alexander. Hill of Brazoria. Alsup. Hodges. Barron. Holland. Beck. Hoskins. Bedford. Huddleston. Bourne. James. Burns. Jefferson. Jones of Atascosa. Calvert. Jones of Runnels. Canon. Coombes. Jones of Shelby. Crossley. Kayton. Kyle of Palo Pinto. Daniel. Dean. Laird. Devall. Latham. Engelhard. Leonard. Fain. Lindsey. Ford. Lotief. Fuchs. Magee. Glass. Mackay. Good. McCullough. Goodman. McDougald. Greathouse. Merritt. Griffith. Metcalfe. Mitcham. Haag. Hankamer. Moffett.

Moore. Scott. Steward. Shannon. Morrison. Shults. Morse. Smith. Nicholson. Stanfield. Parkhouse. Stinson. Pope. Stovall. Puryear. Sullivant. Ramsey. Tarwater. Ratliff. Tennyson. Ray. Thomas. Reader. Tillery. Reed of Bowie. Townsend. Reed of Dallas. Turlington. Roberts. Van Zandt. Rogers Wagstaff. of Ochiltree. Walker. Rollins. Winningham. Ross. Wood. Russell. Young.

Absent

Anderson Hill of Webb. of Bexar. Holekamp. Anderson Holloway. of Johnson. Hughes. Baker. Hunt. Barrett. Hvder. Jackson. Bradley. Butler. Johnson Camp. of Anderson. Cathey. Kyle of Hays. Caven. Lemens. Celava. Long. Chastain. Mathis. McClain. Clayton. Colson. McGregor. Cowley. McKee. Munson. Davidson. Dunlap. Palmer. Dunagan. Patterson. Pavlica. Duvall. Dwyer. Renfro. Riddle. Few. Fisher. Rogers of Hunt. Golson. Savage. Scarborough. Graves. Harrison. Vaughan. Head. Weinert. Wells. Hester. Hicks.

Absent-Excused

Johnson of Dimmit.

The Speaker announced that there was not a quorum present.

ADJOURNMENT

Mr. Anderson of Bexar moved that the House adjourn until 9:30 o'clock a. m., Friday, May 5.

Mr. Turlington moved that the House adjourn until 9:15 o'clock a. m., Friday, May 5.

The motion of Mr. Turlington prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas-56

Adamson. Lotief. Alexander. Magee. Anderson Mackay. McCullough. of Bexar. Barron. Merritt. Beck. Metcalfe. Calvert. Moffett. Canon. Moore. Daniel. Morrison. Davidson. Nicholson. Pope. Devall. Ramsey. Engelhard. Reader. Ford. Reed of Bowie. Fuchs. Roberts. Glass. Rogers of Ochiltree. Good. Goodman. Ross. Stanfield. Haag. Steward. Harris. Hodges. Stovall. Sullivant. Holland. Tarwater. Hoskins. Thomas. James. Jones of Atascosa. Tillery.

Jones of Runnels.
Jones of Shelby.
Kyle of Palo Pinto.
Leonard.
Turlington.
Van Zandt.
Walker.
Young.

Lindsey.

Nays—37

McDougald. Aikin. Mitcham. Alsup. Bedford. Morse. Bourne. Parkhouse. Burns. Puryear. Chastain. Ratliff. Ray. Reed of Dallas. Coombes. Crossley. Rollins. Dean. Russell. Dunlap. Shannon. Fain. Greathouse. Shults. Stinson. Griffith. Tennyson. Hankamer. Hartzog. Townsend. Huddleston. Wagstaff. Jefferson. Winningham. Wood. Laird.

Latham.

Absent

Colson. Anderson of Johnson. Cowley. Baker. Dunagan. Barrett. Duvall. Bradley. Dwyer. Butler. Few. Camp. Fisher. Golson. Cathey. Graves. Caven. Harman. Celaya. Clayton. Harrison.

McClain. Head. Hester. McGregor. Hicks. McKee. Hill of Brazoria. Munson. Palmer. Hill of Webb. Holekamp. Patterson. Holloway. Pavlica. Hughes. Renfro. Riddle. Hunt. Hyder. Rogers of Hunt. Jackson. Savage. Johnson Scarborough. of Anderson. Scott. Kayton. Smith. Kyle of Hays. Vaughan. Lemens. Weinert. Wells. Long. Mathis.

Absent—Excused

Johnson of Dimmit.

The House, accordingly, at 8:45 o'clock p. m., adjourned until 9:15 o'clock a. m., Friday, May 5.

APPENDIX

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

The following committees have filed favorable reports on bills and resolution, as follows:

Judicial Districts: Senate Bill No. 454.

Insurance: House Bills Nos. 165, 124, and 127.

Judiciary: House Bill No. 921. Constitutional Amendments: Senate Joint Resolution No. 30.

The following committees have filed adverse reports on bills, as follows:

Municipal and Private Corporations: Senate Bill No. 50.

Insurance: Senate Bill No. 44, and House Bill No. 690.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON ENGROSSED BILLS

Committee Room, Austin, Texas, May 4, 1933.

Hon. Coke Stevenson, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. J. R. No. 37, Proposing an amendment to Section 26, Article I, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, so as to authorize municipalities to make flat-rate contracts with public utilities for any number of years, not exceeding twenty (20); providing for its submission to the

voters of the State of Texas, as required by law, and making an appropriation therefor,

Has carefully compared same, and finds it correctly engrossed.

HARRISON, Chairman.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS

Committee Room, Austin, Texas, May 4, 1933.

Hon. Coke Stevenson, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. C. R. No. 38, Granting The Interstate Contracting Company the right to bring suit against the State of Texas and the State Highway Department in a court of competent jurisdiction in Travis County, Texas,

Has carefully compared same, and finds it correctly enrolled.

MORRISON, Vice-Chairman.

Committee Room, Austin, Texas, May 4, 1933.

Hon. Coke Stevenson, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 19, "An Act to amend Article 1569 and Article 1572, Chapter 3, Title 18, Revised Penal Code of the State of Texas of 1925, providing for penalties, and declaring an emergency,"

Has carefully compared same, and finds it correctly enrolled.

MORRISON, Vice-Chairman.

Committee Room, Austin, Texas, May 4, 1933.

Hon. Coke Stevenson, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 845, "An Act authorizing independent school districts to build or purchase buildings and grounds for the purpose of constructing gymnasia, stadia, or other recreational facilities, and to encumber the same and the income thereof to secure notes, or other evidences of indebted- filing of said affidavit in the county

ness; providing that the purchaser shall have a franchise to operate same in case of foreclosure; providing that such obligations shall never be a debt of such school district; providing that such projects shall be deemed self-liquidating in character; providing that repairs to such properties shall be a first lien; providing that the tolls, fees, and other charges made for the use thereof shall be at a rate sufficient to pay the current interest and provide the necessary sinking fund therefor; providing the form of contract, bonds, or notes, and for the examination of bonds by the Attorney General, and registration of same by the Comptroller; providing that no contract, bond, or note, or other evidence of indebtedness authorized herein shall be issued under this Act after one (1) year from the effective date of this Act; providing that no land upon which is situated school improve-ments shall be subject to the indebtedness created hereunder, and declaring an emergency,"

Has carefully compared same, and finds it correctly enrolled.

MORRISON, Vice-Chairman.

Committee Room, Austin, Texas, May 4, 1933.

Hon. Coke Stevenson, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 28, "An Act to amend Article 4604, of the Revised Civil Statutes of 1925, as amended by the Acts of 1929, Forty-first Legislature, Chapter 114, so as to provide that persons who desire to marry shall procure from the county clerk a license directed to all persons authorized by law to celebrate the rites of matrimony, and that said license shall be sufficient to celebrate such marriage; and repealing Articles 4604-a and 4604-b, requiring the county clerk at the time the license is applied for to examine the applicant or applicants for the license under oath as to age and residence, and reduce the same to writing, and requiring, where either party is absent when application is made, an affidavit the payment of the purchase price by a person other than the contractto evidence the indebtedness created ing party as to age and residence of thereby by the issuance of bonds, the absent party, and requiring the clerk's office, and that the application for license shall be made at least three (3) and not more than thirty (30) days before the license shall be issued, and requiring the recording of applications for license by the county clerk in a book kept for that purpose, and requiring the certificate from a reputable licensed physician as to the physical condition of the man to be married, and declaring an emergency,"

Has carefully compared same, and finds it correctly enrolled.

MORRISON, Vice-Chairman.

Committee Room, Austin, Texas, May 4, 1933.

Hon. Coke Stevenson, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 827, "An Act designating fur-bearing animals, declaring them the property of the State, declaring a five (5) year closed season on wild fox in certain counties; providing a penalty for violation of this Act; and declaring an emergency,"

Has carefully compared same, and finds it correctly enrolled.

MORRISON, Vice-Chairman.

SIXTIETH DAY

(Friday, May 5, 1933)

The House met at 9:15 o'clock a. m., pursuant to adjournment, and was called to order by Speaker Stevenson.

The roll was called, and the following Members were present:

Mr. Speaker. Coombes. Davidson. Adamson. Devall. Aikin. Dunagan. Alsup. Anderson Dwyer. of Bexar. Fain. Anderson Fisher. of Johnson. Ford. Baker. Fuchs. Barrett. Glass. Barron. Golson. Bedford. Good. Goodman. Bourne. Bradley. Graves. Burns. Greathouse. Calvert. Griffith. Canon. Hankamer. Chastain. Harman. Colson. Harris.

Hester. Parkhouse. Hicks. Ratliff. Hill of Brazoria. Rav. Hill of Webb. Reader. Hodges. Reed of Bowie. Reed of Dallas. Holekamp. Hoskins. Roberts. Huddleston. Rogers of Hunt. Hughes. Rogers Hunt. of Ochiltree. Jackson. Rollins. James. Ross. Jefferson. Russell. Jones of Shelby. Scarborough. Kayton. Scott. Kyle of Hays. Shannon. Kyle of Palo Pinto. Shults. Lindsey. Stanfield. Lotief. Steward. Magee. Stovall. Mackay. Sullivant. McClain. Tarwater. McCullough. Thomas. Tillery. McDougald. Metcalfe. Townsend. Mitcham. Vaughan. Moffett. Wagstaff. Moore. Walker. Morrison. Wells. Winningham. Morse. Palmer. Wood.

Absent

Alexander. Laird. Beck. Latham. Butler.Lemens. Leonard. Camp. Long. Cathey. McGregor. Celaya. McKee. Clayton. Merritt. Cowley. Crossley. Munson. Nicholson. Daniel. Patterson. Dean. Dunlap. Pavlica. Duvall. Pope. Puryear. Engelhard. Ramsey. Haag. Harrison. Renfro. Riddle. Hartzog. Smith. Head. Holland. Stinson. Holloway. Tennyson. Turlington. Hyder. Van Zandt. Johnson of Anderson. Weinert. Jones of Atascosa. Young. Jones of Runnels.

Absent-Excused

Caven. Mathis. Few. Savage. Johnson of Dimmit.

The Speaker announced that there was not a quorum present.